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The spice known as mace comes from a thin layer between two protecting shells of the nutmeg.

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Continue Hunt For Kidnaper

Police Search for Former Nursery Employee With Questionable Habits

CHICAGO, Jan. 10—(AP)—A man once employed at a nursery situated within two blocks of the home of Suzanne Degnan, 6, kidnapped killing victim, was the object of a police search today.

Mrs. Margaret Perry, operator of the nursery home, told the police this man was discharged because of "questionable habits." Investigators also learned he formerly was a mental patient at Mankato state hospital but had been discharged as cured.

Inquiry into the identity and background of former employees of the nursery came about when Mrs. Perry identified a ladder found in an alley at the rear of the Degnan home as one which had been left at the nursery two years ago by roofing company employees.

The police believe the fiendish kidnaper-killer used the ladder to enter little Suzanne's bedroom early Monday when he took her from her bed, left a \$20,000 ransom note, killed her and dismembered her body. The child's father, James E. Degnan, Chicago OPA official, told reporters, however, he had seen the ladder in the same location the day before the crime.

Seek Ex-Convict

Another man sought, the police disclosed, as an ex-convict with a record of sex offenses against young girls.

Although several clues, previously regarded as important, collapsed during the last 24 hours, police still held for questioning today two janitors and hunted for a third they wanted to interrogate in connection with the kidnapping and killing-dismemberment of the child.

Under a ruling by a criminal court judge at a habeas corpus hearing yesterday, the two janitors, both of whom underwent so-called "lie detector" tests last night, will be released at 4 p. m. today unless they are charged with an offense.

Chief Justice Harold G. Ward ordered the men retained by police for another 24 hours after police sergeant Jack Hanrahan and state's attorney officials pleaded for more time to question the two janitors. Both are employed in apartment buildings near the Degnan home in the Edgewater Beach district on the north side.

Answer Soon

"The case is getting hotter and hotter all the time," Hanrahan told Judge Ward. "In 24 hours we will know the answer."

The immediate release of the two janitors, Hector Verburgh, 65, and Desere Smet, 35, and Verburgh's wife, Mary, 64, had been asked by their attorney James A. Ricker.

Meanwhile, as police pressed for a break in solution of the crime which has been described by officials as "shocking to the nation," an additional \$10,000 reward for arrest and conviction of the killer was posted.

The Chicago Tribune announced it would pay \$10,000 for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of the slayer. This brought to \$21,000 the total rewards offered.

Verburgh has been in custody since late Tuesday after police said they found bits of human flesh, internal organs and blood in a laundry tub drain in the basement of an apartment building he tends. His wife also was removed to detective headquarters while a few hours later police picked up Smet, who was described by police as Verburgh's close friend.

L. L. Studer Home From Mexico

L. L. Studer, for the past three years chief stores and reclamation officer for the United States Railway Mission with headquarters in Mexico City, aiding in the rehabilitation of the Mexican railroads in all parts of the country, has completed his work for which he was loaned by the Missouri Pacific Lines and has returned home. Mrs. Studer accompanied him. They are now at their residence, 721 West Third street.

Mr. Studer, who returned to Sedalia Wednesday, was the oldest technician in point of service with the mission when he left. He will resume his duties as district storekeeper for the Missouri Pacific on January 16.

'We Have Candy Today'



Candy from the far-away American Junior Red Cross brings real joy to these fun-starved children of La Courneuve, France, as they gather at St. Yves school to receive gifts distributed by Red Cross civilian relief workers. Through its National Children's Fund, the AJRC has sent 250,000 packages of chocolates to youngsters in Europe and the Philippines in the past year. (Red Cross Photo: NEA Telephoto)

Briggs Opens Campaign for U. S. Senator

Files Today; Points To Long Record Of Public Service

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 10—(AP)—United States Senator Frank P. Briggs, Macon newspaper publisher, filed today for the Democratic nomination to the job in which he succeeded Harry S. Truman a year ago.

Briggs was starting his fourth term in the Missouri senate when he was appointed Jan. 12, 1945 by Gov. Phil M. Donnelly to succeed Truman, then vice president, in the national senate.

In a statement issued simultaneously with his filing, Briggs pointed to his long record of public service and added:

"Due to the press of important business in the national congress, it will be necessary for me to spend a great portion of my time in Washington but I hope to give as much time to an active campaign as is humanly possible. I am endeavoring in every way to support our Missouri president in his stand for a successful peace, both abroad and at home, and my first duty, of course, will be to take care of the business at hand."

Asks United Support

Asking united Democratic support, Briggs pledged "in my campaign I shall permit no act of mine nor any word of mine to give solace to the opposition when the primary count has been finished."

Both President Truman and Governor Donnelly have endorsed Briggs' candidacy. At a Jackson day dinner in Springfield Monday night, the governor lauded him as "one of the ablest and most influential new members of the United States senate."

Briggs managed Donnelly's successful 1944 election campaign and before that set a record as president pro tem of the state senate for four straight sessions. He served two terms as mayor of Macon, where he publishes the Daily Chronicle-Herald, before entering the senate.

Others Mentioned

He is 52 years old and the father of two sons and three daughters.

The only other senatorial aspirant to file thus far is William McKinley Thomas of St. Louis who is seeking the Republican nomination.

Former Attorney General Roy McKittick, unsuccessful nominee two years ago and Marvin Casteel, former state WPA director, have been mentioned as other possible Democratic candidates.

Camp Clark to be Surplus

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10—(AP)—The war department expects to declare Camp Clark in Missouri surplus within the next few days, Rep. Bennett (R-Mo) disclosed today.

Bennett told a reporter a department official informed him that the surplus order had been approved by the division handling such matters and is now on the desks of higher officials for their okay.

Under the proposal plan, the Missouri national guard which used Camp Clark before the war, will be quartered at Fort Leonard.

Eight Years For Banker

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 10. — (AP)—Erwin J. Stuckenberg, 37, was sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary today by Federal District Judge Ruben M. Hulon on his plea of guilty to a nine-count indictment charging theft of \$71,243 while serving as assistant treasurer of the Chippewa Trust company.

First of Two 'Anti-Petrillo' Bills Setback

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 10—(AP)—Slim attendance and a solid block of labor votes gave the first of two "anti-Petrillo" bills a setback in the Missouri house of representatives yesterday.

The bill, which would have prevented union interference with non-profit musical programs, was killed on a 61-27 vote with 75 votes required for passage.

Introduced by Sen. H. R. Williams (R) of Cassville, the bill was sponsored in the house by Rep. Curtis J. Tindel (R) of Texas county, who urged its passage as a curb on what he called the lawless activities of music czar James C. Petrillo.

When the measure failed, Tindel decided to withdraw action on a companion bill which would penalize union interference with non-profit radio programs. He said it would be called up later.

Hot Debate

The bill touched off an hour of hot debate, with Rep. Lucian T. Mace (R) of Miller county declaring Washington officials were "too scared the labor groups will defeat them" to regulate union activities.

"Why if we go down the street a-whistlin' we'll get kicked off within the next ten years," Mace said.

Opponents of the bill argued that musicians' right to work had to be protected in an age of mechanical sound reproduction.

"I dispute any assertions that the musicians' union interferes with any non-profit program," Rep. Arthur D. Smith (R) of Jasper county said.

Kirkville Plans For Glove Factory

KIRKVILLE, Mo., Jan. 10—(AP)—Contracts were completed yesterday by the city council and representatives of the Canton Glove company for a factory here which will employ 100 persons.

The contract calls for the construction of a factory building on a four-acre city-owned tract of land. Estimated cost of the structure will amount to \$42,000, officials said.

The company will rent the building for 10 years and guarantees a \$1,000,000 payroll for the period.

and Wood where it will have more room and better facilities, Bennett said. The army will continue to use Fort Leonard Wood, he added, but will allow the national guard to use part of it.

Some of the buildings at Camp Clark will be retained by the Missouri national guard as storage depots for equipment which could not be taken to Leonard Wood.

During the war, Camp Clark was an internment camp first for Italian and later for German prisoners of war.

Truce Ends China's Civil War

Government Will Legalize all Political Parties, Chiang Announces

CHUNGKING, Jan. 10—(AP)—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek announced today, shortly after a truce had brought an immediate end to China's civil war, that the government had decided to legalize all political parties.

He said the government would free all purely political prisoners, grant the people freedom of speech and promote local self government.

Chiang, opening the political consultation conference almost simultaneously with the conclusion of the cease fire agreement, announced the government had decided to:

- 1—Grant the people freedom of person, conscience, speech, publication, and association and to safeguard them against illegal arrest and trial.
- 2—All political parties shall be equal before the law and may operate openly within the law.
- 3—Local self-government will actively be promoted in all places and popular elections will be held.
- 4—Political prisoners, except traitors and those found to have committed definite acts injurious to the republic, would be released.

Marshall Broke Deadlock

Gen. Chou En-Lai, No. 2 Communist leader, approved the four points and said they were basic for achieving constitutional government.

Gen. George Marshall, special U. S. envoy to China, broke the deadlock in Chinese negotiations for a truce last night by visiting Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek.

Differences over wording a cease hostilities order were ironed out.

It was believed that Chiang agreed to modify his previous insistence that the Nationalists should occupy certain specified strategic areas in the inner Mongolian provinces of Chahar and Jehol.

'Cease Fire' Order

The "cease fire" order was issued after Gen. Chang Chun, government representative, and Gen. Chou En-Lai of the Communists meeting with General Marshall, special U. S. envoy to China, reached an agreement in a surprise meeting, held nine hours ahead of schedule.

The order was issued by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek and Mao Tse-Tung, Communist chairman at Yenan on the basis of the agreement reached by the committee.

Military commanders on both sides were directed to halt all troop movements, except for the transport of government troops into or within Manchuria to restore Chinese sovereignty. The order also prohibits destruction of—and interference with—all lines of communications.

Gen. Marshall Aided

General Marshall agreed shortly after his arrival in China three weeks ago to assist in outlining procedures for a cessation of hostilities.

The Communists reported only last night that the government's demand for occupation of Manchuria—Chahar and Jehol provinces particularly—was "unacceptable."

Announcement of the truce came as 38 delegates of China's various political factions gathered for today's opening of the Political Consultation Conference in the Hall of Ceremonies of the National Government building.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Mrs. Alvin Viebrock and son of Mora and Mrs. Walter Jennings of 812 West Fourth street dismissed.

Mrs. J. G. Mehrens of Lincoln admitted for medical treatment.

Mrs. G. E. Frazee, 1405 South Prospect avenue, dismissed.

Mrs. Fannie Leslie, 1021 South Harrison avenue; Willa Ann Sawford, route 2, Otterville and Janet Riley, 725 West Fourth street, admitted for medical treatment.

Bruce Harvey Anderson, Hughesville and Johnnie Lee Ricker, Route 1, Lincoln, dismissed.

Missourian Elected

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 10—(AP)—A. C. Raggsdale, a member of the faculty at the University of Missouri, Columbia, was elected vice chairman of the Laymen's League of the Disciples of Christ church yesterday.

Demonstrations Near Mutiny; Surplus Personnel to Homes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10—(AP)—disgruntled GI's demonstrating against the demobilization slow-down were called "near mutiny" today by Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D-Colo.), "distressing and humiliating to all Americans."

Johnson formally called upon the Senate Military committee to summon Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, army chief of staff, authorized theater commanders, pending issuance of the new demobilization program, to return home all surplus personnel regardless of their point scores.

In a letter to Chairman Thomas of the Senate Military committee, Johnson declared "No American army must ever be permitted by Congress to degenerate into a mob. What must our neighbor nations think of such an outrageous display of irresponsibility?"

Johnson also asserted that the War Department was repudiating "solemn pledges" about demobilization made to Congress last September by Gen. George C. Marshall, then chief of staff.

However, Gen. Jacob L. Devers, chief of army ground forces, contended in a speech that public clamor for bringing the boys back immediately is "jeopardizing our security and wrecking the morale of men needed to maintain the peace."

Johnson, a member of the committee, asked Congress to take a hand in the situation after the War Department disclosed it was undertaking to recast its entire demobilization program.

The increasing pressure from hower "at the earliest possible moment" for a full investigation.

Fire Damages Hotel

ROLLA, Mo., Jan. 10—(AP)—The two-story Colonial hotel here was damaged by fire yesterday. Fire Chief M. H. Buckey estimated the loss at \$5,000. Most of the damage was to the basement and dining room.

Convention of Mayors Opens In City Today

Cities' Problems, Post-war Planning Being Discussed

The eleventh annual convention of the Missouri Municipal League, of which Mayor Arthur F. Bangert, Florissant, Mo., is the president, opened today at the Bothwell hotel for two days. More than 100 city officials from over the state had registered up to the noon hour today.

Problems of the various cities are being discussed and interesting talks pertaining to post-war planning are being given by the speakers who have made intensive studies of their topic on which they speak.

The convention was opened at 9:30 o'clock this morning with Dr. John W. Williams, Jr., assistant health commissioner of the state board of health, speaking on "Health Problems in Missouri."

L. E. Ordebeide, assistant public health engineer of the board of health took as his topic "Garbage and refuse Collection and Disposal in Missouri."

"The licensing program of the water and sewerage conference" was the subject on which Warren A. Kramer, secretary treasurer of the conference, spoke.

Afternoon Program

The afternoon program was opened at 1:30 o'clock with Carl W. Brown, chief engineer of the Missouri state highway commission speaking on "The Federal Highway Act of 1944 and its Effect Upon the Street Program of Missouri Cities."

Luther S. Raggsdale, assistant chief, sales section surplus property division of the Reconstruction Finance Corp., St. Louis spoke on "How Missouri Cities May Secure Government Surplus Property." The subject was of vital importance as many cities at the present time are endeavoring to obtain government surplus property.

A special session was also held during the afternoon which was informal for the various finance officers, city clerks, city auditors and others interested in the fiscal problems of Missouri cities.

R. F. Agard, president of the Municipal Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada from Kansas City and Chet Keyes, chairman of the association for Missouri were the speakers.

Banquet Tonight

The annual banquet will be held at 6:30 o'clock tonight in the Ambassador room of the Bothwell. Mayor A. H. Wilks of Sedalia will give the address of welcome and the response will be by Vice President J. C. Griggs, mayor of Carthage. The banquet will be presided over by President Bangert.

Dr. Thomas A. Brady, vice president of the University of Missouri and director of the university's veterans program will be the principal speaker. His subject "How Can We Help the Returned Veteran With His Problems?"

Friday's session will open at 9:30 o'clock in the morning with L. P. Cookingham, city manager of Kansas City and trustee of the A. M. A. presiding.

Julian H. Bagby, former mayor of Sedalia, is a former president of the league.

Fact-Finding Board Recommends 19½ Cents an Hour Hike

Workers Had Asked For 30 Cents Per Hour Increase; Board Suggests Strike Be Called Off; 7,000 Telephone Workers In New York Will Walk Off Jobs Friday

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10—(AP)—A presidential fact-finding board recommended today a general wage increase of 19 and one-half cents an hour for General Motors production workers.

President Truman made public a summary of the board's report shortly after it was presented to the White House. He called it "thorough and reasoned" and said it "will commend itself to the good judgment of the American public."

Mr. Truman expressed hope that the corporation and the CIO United Automobile Workers, who have been on strike for 50 days in a demand for a 30 per cent wage boost, will follow the recommendations and speedily end "this most costly conflict."

Lloyd Garrison, chairman of the fact finding board, estimated the 19½ cents hourly raise recommended would be around 17½ per cent as compared with the 30 per cent demanded by the workers.

The company had offered slightly over 10 per cent or about 13 cents an hour.

Would Call Strike Off
The board recommended the strike be called off and that the employees be permitted to return to work without discrimination.

The summary said that a large part of the 19½ cents hourly recommended wage increase is for cost of living adjustment to the workers, who have received no general increase since 1942.

The balance, it said, is to compensate for loss of earnings as a result of a shorter work week and other factors.

Mayors Guests At Kiwanis Club Meeting

Club Sang Birthday Greetings to Two Members

Mayor H. C. Rethwisch, Fayette, executive secretary of the Missouri State Chamber of Commerce, and Mayor Arthur F. Bangert, of Florissant, were the speakers at the meeting of the Sedalia Kiwanis club in Bothwell hall Thursday noon.

Mayor Rethwisch was a guest of vice-president Pinkney Miller, and Mayor Bangert a guest of Mayor A. H. Wilks. Both are attending the eleventh annual convention of the Missouri Municipal League.

Others attending the convention and who were guests included: Dr. A. J. Campbell, Mayor Roger Sermon, John Thiel, John Short, J. R. Lynch and Tom Winters, all of Independence, and who were introduced by the Rev. H. U. Campbell, brother-in-law of Mayor Sermon. Also, Carl W. Brown, chief engineer of the Missouri state highway department, J. H. Acuff, secretary of the Highway Department, G. M. Thraikill, public relations representative of the Highway Department, Mayor Bruce Carl, Columbia, secretary of the league, Mayor J. C. Griggs, Carthage, vice-president of the league and Councilman Leo Eichoff, guests of Mayor Wilks.

Attorney Roy J. Schick was a guest of the Rev. Mr. Campbell and Arthur Schlumbohn, scout executive, Jefferson City, a guest of Judge J. V. Kesterson.

Clarence Evans presided as program chairman and the Rev. Mr. Campbell introduced the speakers.

The club members sang a birthday greeting song for John Ryan and Elmer E. Sterling who are celebrating their birthday; and to Paul Hedderich who recently became a grandfather.

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Accent on Feminine Curves

By Dorothy Roe
Associated Press Fashion Editor

NEW YORK, Jan. 10—(AP)—An era of romantic femininity in dress, of accent on feminine curves and of startlingly revealing styles is heralded in this week's spring openings, in progress here before the nation's fashion press.

The dressiest season in many years is forecast by designer Omar Kiam, of the House of Ben Reig, who says: "These are clothes designed to sit and look pretty."

His collection shows a greater proportion of evening gowns than at any time since the start of the war, stresses pale pastel colors and has generally a nostalgic, romantic air.

Brownie, of the firm of Fox-brownie, shows the "peekaboo" bodice on a navy sheer dress trimmed in deceptively demure organdie ruffles and presents a series of daring dinner gowns with one shoulder bare. She uses again the mondrain cubist motif in a number of prints, and employs vivid printed silk scarfs as front panels or bodices on one-piece dresses.

Joseph Whitehead shows a series of lavish and dramatic negligees and evening gowns, many knee-deep in maribou or ostrich. A hit of his collection is a dinner pajama in flame colored chiffon, the floating robe worn over tight matching trousers of crepe.

Car Robbed

Mrs. Paul Edwards, 1414 South Vermont avenue, reported to the police about midnight Wednesday night, that her car parked in front of her home had been ransacked by thieves. A pair of ladies' driving gloves, three-cell flashlight and a box of shotgun shells were taken.

The Weather

Central Missouri: Fair tonight, Friday increasing cloudiness and warmer with rain by afternoon or night.

Lake of the Ozarks: 1.0; rise .9.

Sunrise 7:32 a. m. Sunset 5:10 p. m.

First quarter moon January 10; full moon January 17.

Temperature: 7 a. m. 26 degrees; 3 p. m. 33 degrees.

Merry-Go-Round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Judging by the flood of telegrams deluging this columnist—many of them from Europe and the Pacific—three events last week raised GI wrath to the highest boiling point yet. They were:

1. The war department official slow-down of demobilization.

2. Secretary of War Patterson's red-faced admission in Guam that he didn't know the very elementary fact that overseas veterans stopped accumulating points on V-J day.

3. Announcement by Gen. Joseph McNarney, new European commander, that low-point men might now come home quicker than high-point men whose services were more essential. This, of course, paves the way for the return of senators' sons, football players, and anyone with political pull — provided they make themselves sufficiently non-essential.

GIs were quick to see the significance of this. In addition to resentment, there was immediate determination to make themselves just as non-essential as possible. In other words, the army now puts a premium on inefficiency. The man who does a good job has to stay on. The man who does a poor job and is non-essential can come home.

Secretary Patterson's fumble regarding the point system convinced a lot of people that Patterson was letting the brass hats run the show and didn't know what they were doing. Once before, he aroused GI resentment when he ordered the discharge of Georgia football star Charles Trippi at the request of two Georgia senators—despite the fact that Trippi was a low-point typist, and typists are classified as essential.

Truman Didn't Know Either

President Truman added to the conviction that his administration is blindly letting the brass hats run things when he attended a Saturday night party thrown by Gen. Har Arnold at the Bolling Field officers' club. Officers who had planned dates several days in advance arrived with girl friends only to find the club barred. Without advance notice, General Arnold had taken over both floors and every room—allegedly as security to protect the life of the president.

Those who know Harry Truman's habit of mingling with folks say that he never would have consented to having the entire club taken over on his account if he had known about it, and that the brass hats must have put one over on him.

Note — Army claim that its fast discharge of men makes for inefficiency doesn't bear close scrutiny—as, for instance, the Brooke hospital center at San Antonio. It handled 10,000 patients at its peak, but now is down to less than 2,500; yet its staff continues at 75 per cent of the peak period. There are scores of similar cases.

Churchill's Son-in-Law

Best story of the distinguished British visitor now arriving in the USA concerns Churchill's ex-son-in-law, Vic Oliver, the famous stage comedian.

Oliver is now divorced from Churchill's daughter, but shortly before the divorce he called at No. 10 Downing Street to see if he couldn't patch up his matrimonial affairs. At dinner with his father-in-law and various other notables, Oliver popped a question calculated, he thought, to warm the soul of the then British prime minister.

"Sir," he said, leaning across the table and looking sweetly at his father-in-law, "who, in your opinion, will emerge as the greatest leader of this war?"

But before anyone at the table could come back with the expected answer that Winston Churchill himself was the greatest war leader, his glowering father-in-law shot back:

"Mussolini," countered the puzzled Mr. Oliver. "Why do you say Mussolini?"

"Because," replied Churchill, "he at least had the good sense to shoot his son-in-law."

Capital Chaff

The S. S. Amasa Delano, named for one of Roosevelt's grandfathers, has been lying in Delaware bay for exactly one month, loaded with live ammunition. About ten other ships are also in Delaware bay, loaded with unused bombs. The army doesn't know what to do with the cargoes. Reaction of GIs is if the same ships had been loaded with veterans they would have unloaded themselves in one hour.

Washington observers found 3 things wrong with Truman's radio appeal to the nation: The politicians didn't like it; many labor leaders didn't like it and big business didn't like it. But the great majority of the people did like it. . . . Privately, Republican leaders admit that the radio speech probably increased Truman's popularity.

Higher Clothing Prices

OPA officials are sitting down this week with representatives of the textile industry — especially

Key Figures as Nation Faces Electrical Strike



Charles E. Wilson, vice president of General Electric Co. . . . 100 of his plants in 54 cities face shutdown in strike called for Jan. 15.



Albert J. Fitzgerald, president of United Electrical-Radio & Machine Workers of America (CIO), has called the strike of 200,000.



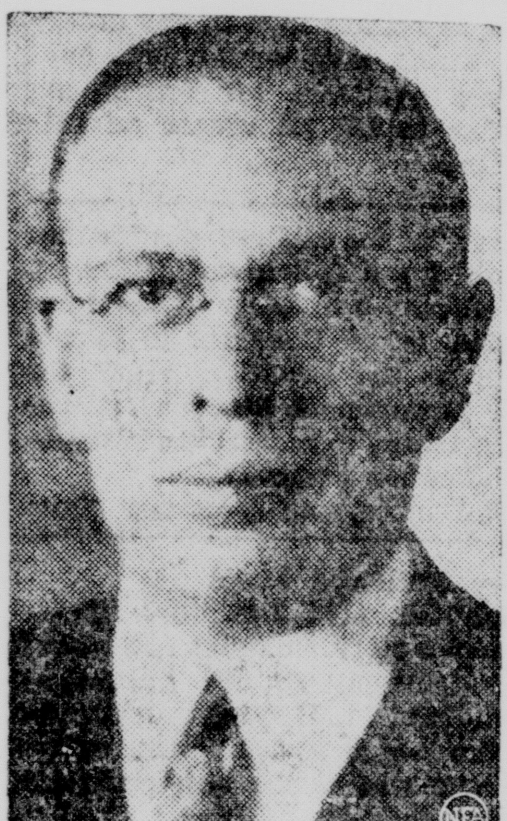
Julius Emspak, general secretary-treasurer of the electrical workers. Their impending strike would halt production of industry's "Big Three."



James J. Matles, director of organization for the electrical workers . . . organized G. E., Westinghouse and General Motors electrical unions.



William G. Marshall, vice president of Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Company . . . indicates company is prepared for long strike.



George H. Bucher, president of Westinghouse electrical workers' union accuses his company of being "consistently arrogant."

worsteds and woollens — to try to spur production of men's clothing. Nubbin of the problem is increased prices, which the textile people demand in order to spur production.

However they are not likely to get it. Inside fact is that profits of the woolen and wosted industry are now 12 times what they were during pre-war years. Furthermore, a sample of civilian sales shows profits from the civilian trade are twice as high as military profits — due to army-navy re-negotiations.

Despite these lush profits, woolen mills want more "adjustments" before making more fabrics for returned veterans; also despite the fact that reduced taxes now promise an even better profit.

Note — Friends of General Patton, whose family owns one of the largest woolen mills, say he would never have favored high profits at the expense of clothes for returned veterans, were he alive.

Merry-Go-Round

Quipped Maury Maverick, following his return from Tokyo: "The reason Emperor Hirohito came out and said he wasn't God was because he found that MacArthur was." . . . Maybe it wasn't

significant, but it seemed reminiscent of another era to have Senator Vandenberg, the ex-isolationist, John Foster Dulles and Senator Tom Connally, now in London to forge a democratic peace, go immediately to Cliveden to spend their first weekend. Mrs. Roosevelt didn't go. Cliveden, the home of Lady Astor, was where the notorious Cliveden set hatched their appeasement plots before the war. . . . Progressive GOP Congressman Charlie LaFollette of Indiana, the man who talks more like Will Rogers than any congressman in a dog's age, has announced for the senate. LaFollette is not playing it safe. He will give up his seat in the house to battle it out with the party's reactionaries in the Republican primary. . . . Two-fisted Mayor Hubert Humphreys of Minneapolis, who recently ran ahead of Governor Ed Thye in a statewide popularity poll, will be the Democratic candidate for governor in 1946. . . . Randolph Paul, the ex-treasury counsel, has turned down the job of heading a new mission to negotiate with the Swiss and other neutrals for the recapture of hidden German assets. The job is now being of-

ferred to either federal judge Jerome Frank or Governor Ellis Arnall of Georgia. . . . Lives of GIs being returned from Europe by air are endangered because of French and British failure to agree to adequate airline precautions. Every day 10 American planes have to fly across a route crossed by 300 British and French planes at the same altitude. Two hospital planes returning wounded veterans to the USA barely missed aerial crack-ups last week when their paths were crossed suddenly by other planes. American pilots are now refusing to fly the Paris-Brest run except in daylight and clear weather.

Reports Robins Arrive In Large Numbers

Reverend E. L. Rathert of Lake Creek Methodist church, south of Smithton, reports that at least two hundred robins and a pair of bluebirds have been feasting on berries of the cedar trees on the parsonage grounds since Monday.

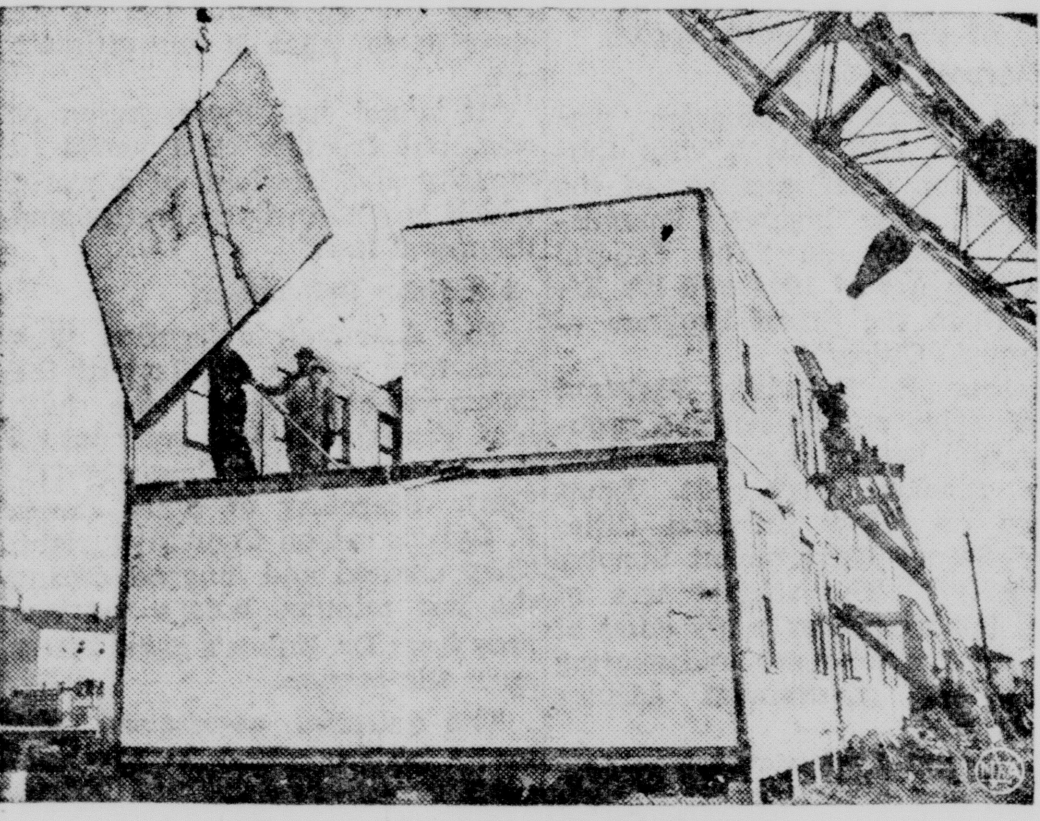
License For Pool Table

A license to operate one pool table was issued by the Pettis county court Wednesday to Selus Iman of Green Ridge, for a period of one year.

Demountable Units Help in Housing Problem



Crane lifts section of roof from temporary home at FHA's project in East Hartford, Conn.



Off come sidewalls with aid of crane.



Typical war worker's home.

Just Town Talk

A SEDALIA Business HOUSE WAS ROBBED SOME WEEKS Ago AND SINCE THAT TIME EVERYBODY IN THE Place HAS BEEN VERY CAREFUL TO SEE THAT EVERYTHING IS LOCKED Up Tight WHEN THEY Leave FOR THE Night IN FACT SO WELL HAVE THEY LOCKED IT THAT THIS Morning THEY COULDN'T UNLOCK IT AND IT WAS NECESSARY TO CALL THE FIRE DEPARTMENT AND HAVE THE FIREMEN CLIMB ONE OF THE TALL Ladders AND OPEN AN UPSTAIRS WINDOW I THANK YOU

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

Capt. Edwin W. Greene, the poultry fancier and breeder, captured the first prize on a White Plymouth Rock pullet at the St. Louis poultry show yesterday. The pullet got first place over 18 high grade competitors.

Lew G. Fellers, who has been with the Sedalia Candy Co., nearly 12 years, leaves today for Chicago and thence to Wisconsin, through which state he will travel in the interest of the Eclipse Paint and Manufacturing Co., of Cleveland, Ohio.

Contractor Sam Dameron has been awarded the contract of remodeling Henry Otten's store-room, 208 South Lamine street, and will begin the job as soon as weather conditions permit.

A strong effort is being made by the Clinton Business Men's association to secure the building of a branch of the Missouri Pacific from the east through Clinton to Butler, Mo., and on into Kansas.

The Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway company has ordered from the Baldwin Locomotive Works 30 locomotives, 20 of which are moguls and ten of them compounds. In addition to this the equipment of this road will be increased within the next six months by four 40-foot mail cars, 2,000 box cars, 215 ballast cars, 50 flat cars and 50 cabooses. The mail cars are to be used on the flyer between Parsons and Sedalia and the "Katydids" between Kansas City and Parsons.

The Doctor Says

Simple Precautions Prevent Accidents

By WILLIAM A. O'BRIEN, M. D. Written for NEA Service

Each year the lives of thousands of men, women, and children are needlessly sacrificed in home accidents because ordinary safety precautions are not observed.

The Metropolitan Life Insurance Company studied the records of policy holders who had died of home accidents in 1944 and found that many were not even performing household duties at the time.

In the majority of fatalities the person was merely walking from one room to another, walking up or down stairs, relaxing on a couch or chair, or sleeping.

Night Lights Needed
Commonest cause of fatal home accidents at night was falls. Most of those who were killed when on the way to the bathroom when they fell on the floor or down the stairs, indicating the need for night lights, especially where there are aged or ill persons. Other fatal falls occurred to individuals who were returning home late at night. Steps which are too steep or too narrow or without hand rails or adequate illumination are accident breeders.

Careless smoking of cigarettes or pipes was a common cause of death from burns. The victim dozed off in bed or in an upholstered chair with a lighted cigarette in his hand or mouth. Taking a nap with a liquid boiling on a gas stove is dangerous as several deaths resulted from gas poisoning when the liquid boiled over and extinguished the flame.

Rules For Guns
Many preventable deaths result from careless handling of firearms. Playing with, lifting, cleaning, or scuffling with guns are common causes of accidents. We still need to be reminded that a gun should never be playfully pointed at anyone, as it may be loaded.

Eating has its hazards, as many people die every year from accidentally swallowing bones or fruit pits with resulting choking

Is Everybody Happy?



STOP JOHN CLAY

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THE STORY: Pike Calvin senses an ominous air about THE SADDLEBACK INN, exclusive mountain resort. At the library in town, he asks for material on John Clay, powerful magnate who owns the inn and who is under congressional investigation. Mr. Bateman, the librarian, says that none of the material is complimentary. He appears nervous.

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SADDLEBACK it was 4:30. As he entered the lobby, he saw Mr. Hitt behind the desk fluttering his white hands at Pike. "Mr. Calvin," he said. "Mr. Calvin."

He handed Pike two envelopes, a yellow one and a white one. Pike opened the telegram first. It was from Sam: IMPERATIVE YOU RETURN NEW YORK IMMEDIATELY. THERE ARE NEW DEVELOPMENTS.

SAM Pike looked at the white envelope next and his eyes opened a little wider. In the top left-hand corner of the envelope were the words: JOHN CLAY NUMBER TEN ORCHARD HILL. John Clay's communication was simple and explicit: My dear Mr. Calvin: I am informed that you are at THE SADDLEBACK. I should like to have you come to dinner at my home at eight o'clock this evening. Mr. Hitt will receive your acceptance. You need not dress.

Cordially. John Clay "Which came first?" Pike asked. "The telegram," Mr. Hitt pointed his long white forefinger at the yellow envelope. "About an hour ago."

"And Mr. Clay's note?" "What?" Mr. Hitt made his lips into that flexed bow. Pike held up the letter. "Oh," Mr. Hitt said. "Just now. By hand."

"How do I get there?" "To Mr. Clay's, you mean?"

or damage to the intestines. Elderly individuals with poor teeth may attempt to swallow a piece of meat which has not been thoroughly masticated. If it lodges in the throat, they may choke to death.

Many home accidents still result from careless use of electrical appliances. Touching electric fixtures with wet hands or while standing in water may result fatally. Medicine cabinets should be cleared of poisonous drugs.

Fined For Careless Driving
Edward R. Germaine of Tucson, Ariz., arrested by Officers Riley and Lingle after a fast, hot chase, on charges of careless and reckless driving, pleaded guilty and was fined \$25 in the police court of C. W. Bente Wednesday afternoon.

The officers said that Germaine weaved in and out of traffic while driving 65 miles an hour within the city limits. They spotted him at Broadway and Ohio avenue going west and chased him to Sneed avenue before he finally stopped. He paid the fine and was released.

Pike nodded. "Mr. Clay instructed me to put a car at your disposal."

"I'll walk," Pike said, "if it's not too far."

Mr. Hitt said that it was about a mile and he gave detailed instructions as to how to arrive at Number Ten Orchard Hill.

Then Pike went to the public phone booth and called Sam. But he did not get Sam. Instead he got his secretary, Lois, whom Sam said he could dispense with a little less readily than with his right arm.

"Hello," she said, "Miss Arms speaking."

"Where's Sam?" Pike said. "Pike, darling," she said. "This is Lois."

"I want Sam," Pike said. "You could at least say 'hello.' Sam's gone."

"Where?" "Home. He left a message for you."

"I got his wire."

"He says for you not to wait for the letter."

"I'm staying here."

"You're sure you know what you're doing?" she said. "No," Pike said. "Be careful."

"Don't worry about me."

"It's not sentiment," she snapped. "Sam thinks that it might be inconvenient to replace you."

"I don't want to put him in any trouble," Pike said. "Goodbye, Lois."

PIKE dropped in at THE PUB, ostensibly for a drink, but primarily to see Roger Bland. Bland was comfortably established behind a glass of Cointreau and he was smoking one of those little cigars.

"Ah, Mr. Calvin."

"Hello," Pike sat down across from Bland.

"How were things at the library?"

"So-so."

"Did you get your note from Clay?"

Pike stared at him.

"What does Clay want?" Bland asked.

"Don't tell me you don't know?"

"I could guess." Bland looked at Pike with carefully assumed frankness. "He wants you to dinner."

"Very good," Pike said. "Why?"

"He wants something."

"What?"

Bland's eyes lifted from his drink. They were full of a chill, egoistic realism.

"Mr. Calvin," he said gently, "I live by my wits. I can probably tell you all you need to know about this little situation up here."

He sat back, put the cigar between his lips, and blew a perfect smoke ring.

"But I'm not going to tell you for nothing," he said.

When Luigi brought his drink, Pike laid down his money, and took a very small sip.

"It need not be money," Bland said. "Each tells the other what he wants to know. Fair exchange."

"In my case that's a rather large order," Pike said.

"In mine it is just one little thing," Bland's little black eyes shifted to Luigi. He said:

"Then you have finished your drink, we'll go out on the patio."

Bland followed Pike out on to the flagstones and they walked well away from the door. He put his cigar in his mouth and looked about him carefully. He put his forefinger on Pike's chest and said:

"The one little thing I'm after is connected with a little matter of—murder."

Pike stared at Bland. Bland puffed complacently on his cigar.

He must mean Mary Butler, Pike thought. Something had most certainly happened to her, Pike said:

"Are you suggesting that I know who committed this—"

"I'm suggesting that if your information were pooled with mine, we might have the missing piece."

"I'll struggle along by myself," Pike said.

"You'll regret it," Bland said. (To Be Continued)

Kaiser-Frazer Sign Contract

DETROIT, Jan. 10.—(P)—The Kaiser-Frazer corporation contract with the CIO United Automobile Workers Union, containing provisions unprecedented in the motor car industry's labor relations, was signed Wednesday by the heads of the newly-formed corporation and union officials.

In a brief ceremony in the 25th floor suite of a downtown hotel, Henry J. Kaiser, corporation chairman, and Joseph W. Frazer, president, signed for the company.

Signing for the union were William McAulay, regional director and member of the UAW-CIO executive board, and W. Stevenson, director of the union's competitive shops department.

Final Divorce Decree To Bernarr MacFadden

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 10.—(P)—Bernarr MacFadden, 77-year old physical culturist, was granted a final

divorce decree Wednesday from the British beauty contest winner whom he accused of "humiliating" him by losing her trim figure during their 33 years of married life.

BACKACHE, LEG PAINS MAY BE DANGER SIGN Of Tired Kidneys

If backache and leg pains are making you miserable, don't just complain and do nothing about them. Nature may be warning you that your kidneys need attention.

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Kansas City Pianist Presented By HGS Club in Artist Recital
Enthusiasm on the part of members of the Helen G. Steele Music club two years ago when Miss Mary Kate Parker, pianist, appeared on a program with Mrs. H. Lewis Hess, Kansas City contralto, was repeated Wednesday afternoon when Miss Parker, a member of the teaching staff at the Kansas City Conservatory of Music, was presented by the club in an artist recital at 2 o'clock at Heard Memorial clubhouse.
Amalgamating verve and a certain strength of execution to define a style which remained consistent throughout the program, Miss Parker held the interested attention of a capacity audience. Youthful and attractive, she is a graduate of the conservatory and former pupil of Dr. Wiktor La-bunski. Her home, prior to her arrival in Kansas City, was Wichita Falls, Texas.
Mrs. Henry C. Salveter presided over the business portion of the meeting during the absence of Mrs. E. F. Yancey, life president of Helen G. Steele Music club, who had requested that the program be presented as scheduled. Mrs. Salveter, in a few remarks of eulogy, honored the memory of Mrs. Yancey's sister, Miss Mary E. Harris, a former Sedalian, who died Monday afternoon at her home in Oklahoma City, Okla., and the group stood in silent tribute.
Mrs. Ross Chairman
Mrs. Fred Ross, program chairman, introduced the pianist, who opened her program with the "Toccata in C Major" (Bach-Busoni). The appropriate tempi of the three movements, Introduction, Adagio and Fugue, seemed especially well pronounced. The Introduction, initiated by rapid scales which resolved into chords, gradually built itself into structure, compositionally, until it attained a maze-like strength, typically Bach, to which Miss Parker's interpretation seemed natively adapted. A repetitive octave accompaniment in the left hand, in the Adagio, formed a calm background for the meditative melody which modulated from major to minor phrasings. Of greatest interest was the Fugue. It began impulsively with an unleashed theme of spirit and determination which repeated itself solo several times in the treble before being taken up by the bass while the right hand forged to other rapid motifs. Clean-cut pedal work prevented this contrapuntal merging from becoming blurred — each emulating theme stood out clearly and independently.
"Six Waltzes" (Brahms), presented as a single selection, were performed with imaginative shading heightening their characteristic sparkle and charm.
"Four Bagatelles" (Tcherep-nine) followed, also performed as one number. The musical application of "bagatelle," as defined by Webster, is "a short piece of music in light style." These compositions, abounding in harmonic dissonances and highly rhythmic were of whirling, dance-like tempi, each ending abruptly.
All-Chopin Group
An all-Chopin group concluded the program. The "Nocturne in C Minor," beginning with a gentle melody, progressed to a chord structure producing the effect of an organ, built itself to a climax of magnificent strength and was followed by "Waltz in G-Flat Major," in which the pure waltz quality, both brilliant and song-like, brought to mind scenes of ancient costume court dancing. Two preludes, "G-Major" and "F-Sharp Major," were somewhat contrasting, the first consisting of a theme with a left hand scale accompaniment and the second of a quiet, reflective style.
Miss Parker appeared to summarize all her artistic attributes in her triumphant performance of "Polonaise in A-Flat Major," a demanding composition in technique, interpretation and actual physical strength. The selection, which recently has gained American popularity perhaps unprecedented in its history, lent an especially brilliant conclusion to a program which glittered throughout.
As an encore, the artist played "Etude Op. 25, No. 1," also by Chopin, consisting of a beautifully simple treble melody with an elaborate, rippling accompaniment.

Church News
The Young Peoples Society of Goodwill chapel met at the home of Howard, Herbert and Harold Stevens Wednesday at which time the following officers were elected: Mary Ellen Raynor, president; Dorothy Ann Garrett, secretary; Mary Sue Monsees, treasurer; Lois Hopkins, publicity chairman; Beulah Mae Litz, Edna Mae Kroege, Howard Stevens and Billy Monsees, social committee.
The next meeting will be a banquet at Goodwill chapel February 10 given by the "Mystery Mothers" and at which time the young people will find out who their "Mystery Mothers" have been for the past year.
Sgt. Thompson Has Discharge
Sergeant J. T. Thompson received his honorable discharge from the army December 19th, after 37 months with the 27th infantry division. He was overseas thirty-six months and participated in three campaigns and served on the following islands: Oahu, T. H., Makin, Saipan, Espiritu Santo, Okinawa.
He was in the division band and his job during combat was stretcher bearer on the front lines and he was awarded the combat infantryman's badge for performing such duties efficiently. The bronze arrowhead and three battle stars were also awarded him for taking part in the assault landings and invasions.
Sgt. Thompson was graduated from Smith-Cotton in 1939 and before entering the army he had resided in Joplin. After visiting friends and relatives here he plans to enter the St. Louis College of Pharmacy next month.
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The Winnah—in Battle of the Blouse
Having won, after four years, the censors' okay on his film, "The Outlaw," millionaire producer Howard Hughes took it off the shelf and soon the public will see it, starring Jane Russell AND the hubba-hubba blouse, which caused all the censor-ruckus in the first place. Hughes also commissioned Zoe Mozart, famed painter of calendar cuties, to do a picture of Miss Russell wearing the garment which, having been verboten since 1941, caused her to become known as the "movie-less movie star." Above, with Miss Russell in the final pose, Artist Mozart looks over the painting which will grace billboards across the nation.

Cpl. Gregory Has Discharge
Cpl. Ralph W. Gregory, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gregory, 720 East Sixteenth street, received his honorable discharge from the Army Air Forces after three years service.
Receiving his basic training at Clear Water, Fla., he then attended Aero Industry Technical Institute at Los Angeles, Calif., was stationed at Tinker Field, Oklahoma City, Okla., 8 months and sailed for overseas on Feb. 1, 1944.
He spent 17 months in New Guinea and the remainder of his 23 months overseas at Nichols and Clark fields in the Philippines. He landed at San Francisco on December 23, coming over on the navy transport General Brewster.
He was awarded the Good Conduct medal, the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with two campaign stars, the American theatre ribbon and is entitled to wear the Philippines Liberation ribbon.
He was an electrician apprentice at the Missouri Pacific shops before entering service and served as an aircraft electrician in the air forces.
Candy Company Sales Meeting
Fourteen representatives of the Curtiss Candy Co., from this district held their annual banquet and sales meeting Wednesday in the Palm room of the hotel Bothwell. The meeting consisted of a discussion of the sales of candy products and the expansion of food products.
Attending this meeting was the state manager, E. A. Wolken of St. Louis, who gave the principal talk at the banquet; district supervisor, A. H. Ratz; and representatives from Jefferson City, W. T. Shaw, V. H. Bradshaw; Columbia, "Bud" Smith; Marshall, Wilbur Weaver; Lexington, J. C. Vanzdt; Warrensburg, C. J. Schnyder; Fulton, E. V. Rakestreu; Clinton, C. W. Dickman; Sedalia, J. L. Dyer; and Dick Tremble, former district supervisor, and Jerry Eynard who are returning veterans of World War II.
Divorce Action Filed
In a petition filed Wednesday in the Pettis county circuit court, Mrs. Charlotte Marie Hart sued for divorce from John Murray Hart to whom she was married November 4, 1945, in Olathe, Kas. The petition states the couple separated January 4. F. T. Armstrong is attorney for the plaintiff.
The Navy's first jet-propelled fighter plane, the "Fireball," is also its first to have tricycle landing gear.
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Navy Officer Sues Slayer Of His Wife
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 10—(AP)—A suit for \$50,000 damages was brought today against Mrs. Irene Mansfeldt by Navy Warrant Officer Wilbur L. Martin of Baltimore, MD., for the death of his wife, Vada. Mrs. Mansfeldt is serving a manslaughter sentence for shooting Mrs. Martin, a nurse, whom she suspected of an affair with her doctor-husband.
Although the United States probably has the best air-transport system in the world, it covers only 360 cities and towns, serving about one-third of the population.
\$10,000 Novelist
Ruth Seid, above, 32-year-old Cleveland, O., novelist, has won the annual \$10,000 Harper & Bros. prize with her first book, "Wasteland." Miss Seid, writing under pen name of Joe Sinclair, won over an entry list of almost 700 competitors. Her book will be published Feb. 13.

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THEY'RE THE TOPS



Ray Milland, probable Academy award winner.



Linda Darnell, typical of the "sultry and ferocious" heroines.



The Lana Turner-Turhan Bey romance made news.



Dick Powell escaped the type-casting rut.

ersatz lovers, with names like Gable, Stewart, Fonda, Power, Payne, Romero and others back on studio payrolls.

The 1945 celluloid trend was away from war pictures to musicals, romantic comedies and psychopathic thrillers, but the real surprise of the year was that it became fashionable to be bad. The post War I flaming flapper became a prim and proper person alongside the vicious vampires and neurotics on the post World War II screen.

Sultry and ferocious heroines included Rita Hayworth, Barbara Stanwyck, Lynn Bari, Lana Turner, Jennifer Jones, Hedy Lamarr, Linda Darnell, Joan Bennett, Paulette Goddard and Gene Tierney.

Only male star to escape the

type casting rut was Dick Powell, the song and dance man, who turned in a surprisingly good performance as a rough and ready private detective in "Murder My Sweet."

Strike Made News

The big news event of the year included the eight-month studio strike, with more pickets in Hollywood than palm trees. Will Hays retired as movie czar, to be succeeded by U. S. Chamber of Commerce president Eric Johnston. Betty Hutton's marriage, Maria Montez, Deanna Durbin and Judy Garland's retirements to keep dates with the stork, the deaths of Bob Benchley and Jerome Kern, the Lana Turner-Turhan Bey romance which ended at Ciro's one night, and the marriages of Shirley Temple and Sgt. Johnny Agar, June Allyson and Dick Powell, Red Skelton and Georgia Davis, Esther Williams and Ben Gage also made news.

And for the best crack of the year we still like Bob Hope's. He was doing a show at San Luis Obispo hospital when a pajama-clad patient joined him at the mike and started at libbing. They were going great until a man in a white coat came up and took the patient back to the mental ward. Said Bob, later:

"What worries me is that we were having what I thought was a well balanced conversation."



Ingrid Bergman, top money-maker.

end" is daring realism. You can take your choice because even the shrewd Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences will find it difficult to decide between the two. "The Bells" may even split the voting and sneak in the winner.

New Stars

Because of high income taxes, Hollywood's best known name stars appeared in only one or two films in 1945, giving the unknowns another chance at stardom. In the previous war years, Van Johnson, John Hodiak, Dane Clark, Dana Andrews, Bob Walker, Turhan Bey, Elizabeth Scott, Janice Paige and others became Marquee favorites.

But the end of the war sounded the death knell for most of the



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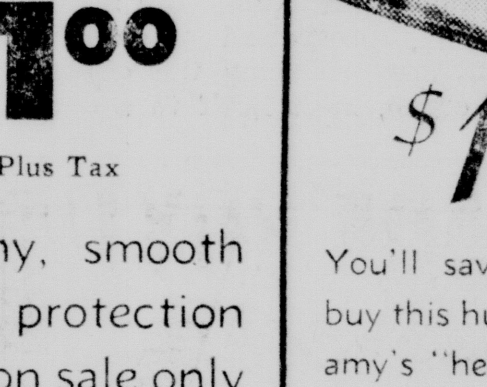
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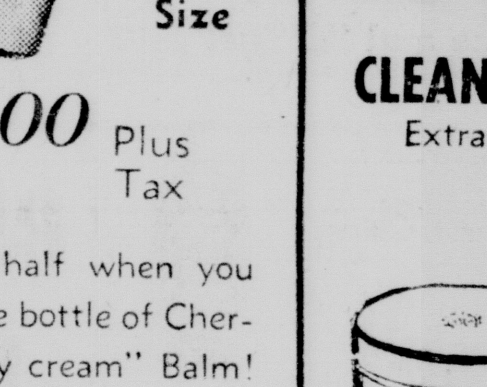
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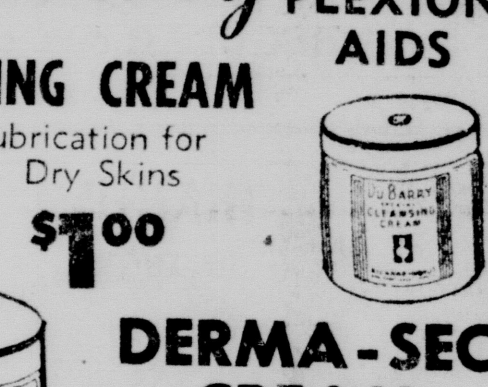
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King George VI Stresses Rights Of World Peoples

LONDON, Jan. 10.—(P)—King George VI Wednesday night told representatives of 90 per cent of the world's peoples that in their hands lies the power "to make or mar the happiness of millions of your fellow men and of millions yet unborn."

"The rights both of nations and individuals cannot exist and stand secure unless nations and individuals alike are members of an ordered society," the King declared. "Such rights can only be fully enjoyed when they are recognized as part of a common interest in which we all share."

The British monarch delivered his message to leading diplomats and statesmen of the world at a royal banquet in St. James palace which was a preliminary to the opening tomorrow of the first session of the United Nations General Assembly.

Touching on one of the major problems facing the UNO—atomic energy—the King told delegates that they had been given the machinery that would enable them "to harness to the service of mankind those new sources of energy which the genius of man has discovered."

Effort Be Required

"It is for you to lay the foundation of a new world, where such a conflict as that which lately brought our world to the verge of annihilation must never be repeated," King George said.

But he warned that the "prizes now offered to mankind will be won without effort and sacrifice."

Earlier today the United States delegation to the United Nations assembly closed ranks in harmonious accord after a two-hour conference with Secretary of State Byrnes, who made it clear that any plan dealing with atomic energy secrets must receive congressional approval.

The first session of the assembly opens tomorrow at 11 a. m. (EST). Russia, the only one of the five larger powers not to send her foreign minister to the assembly meeting, probably will not even

Charles Nutter To New Orleans

Charles P. Nutter, who started his newspaper work in Sedalia during the Centennial year of Missouri, observed at the Missouri State Fair, has resigned as news editor of the Southwest division of the Associated Press at Kansas City effective at the end of January.

His resignation comes to take a position as managing director of International House at New Orleans.

At the centennial exposition of the fair Mr. Nutter was assistant publicity manager, filling that place while furthering his studies in journalism at the University of Missouri.

The broad experience Nutter has had as a representative of the world-wide news service, years spent living with the people and working with the governments of foreign countries, fitted him to the needs of International House.

Nutter joined the Associated Press at Kansas City in 1927. Since then he has served as chief of bureau in Mexico City, Moscow, Madrid, and New Orleans, correspondent in London, managing director of La Prensa Asociada, the AP's Latin American affiliate, and news editor in Kansas City since November, 1943. He lived here from 1939 through 1942.

In 1944 he was awarded a medal of honor by the University of Missouri for distinguished service.

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be represented at the opening session by her chief delegate, Vice Commissar of Foreign Affairs Andrei Vishinsky.

ice in journalism, and in recognition of his career as a foreign correspondent and executive for the Associated Press.

Sentenced To Jail

Essie Edwards subject of a fight at the Missouri-Pacific station Tuesday night, was sentenced to twenty days in Pettis county

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Squatters in Cemetery in City of Manila

Adults, Children Not Superstitious Of Hidden Bones

By Hal Boyle

MANILA — (AP) — Shantytown settlements are scattered throughout Manila and one of the most unusual lies in an ancient Chinese cemetery.

These squatters among the dead are homeless Filipinos who have built rude bamboo and palm thatch shelters between costly Chinese tombs.

With no superstitious awe of hidden bones that lie around them, barefoot Filipino children shriek happily in this strange playground while their mothers cook the evening meal, thoughtless of other wives reposing silently under the stones who have foregone life's tasks and whose household fires long have been cold. Watch-dogs bark among the tombs whenever a wayfarer in the cemetery passes near the bamboo huts.

It is an eerie community, but there is no rent to pay. Some squatters actually make money here. They are paid to trim memorial trees and grass lawns on the tombs of wealthy Chinese. Some are able to keep their families by this means.

Manila has a large Chinese population and it has a large and ornate cemetery.

Elaborate Tombs
It is a wilderness of stone figures and colorful designs. Many of the tombs are beautiful and elaborate and look more like open houses than graves.

The Chinese bury their dead with more ceremony and expense than is usual in most lands and seem to remember them more in other ways than is customary in busy America.

No matter how they may have to scrimp to live, the poorest Chinese like to go to his gods in all the style and greatness his purse and that of his family can afford. He doesn't want to go empty-handed into the hereafter.

Wealthy Chinese Buddhists are interred in colorful temple style tombs that cost thousands of dollars. Their happy, fat-bellied god laughs from tiled roofs, beneath which are embossed hundreds of small figures in friezes of intricate carving and rainbow hues.

Two-Room Affairs
Christian Chinese are buried under great stone or plaster slabs surmounted by stone angels or crosses. Many of these tombs are two-room, roofed affairs — one room for the dead, one for the living. The room containing the departed often has his picture, a custom followed by some European peoples, notably the French and Italian. The outer room is furnished with a stone table and chairs. Here on holidays relatives come and eat great meals and keep the missing one company. Departing, they leave numerous tissue prayer papers held on the tomb by small rocks.

During burial services, family and friends lay gifts of food on the tomb so the dead one won't go hungry to heaven. After a period of prayer, they eat the food and listen to music. Gay music.

Hair Pulling
Recently, two widows of one rich Chinese met unexpectedly at his tomb on a holiday. Instead of a memorial picnic, there was an old fashioned hair pulling. They had argued over his will.

Adjoining Catholic and Protestant

Social Events

The Stephens College Club will hold its regular meeting Saturday, January 12, at the home of Mrs. Fred Lange, 917 1/2 West Third street. Mrs. J. B. Kyd, will be assisting hostess. A desert luncheon will be served at 1:30 o'clock. All former students of Stephens College are invited.

ant cemeteries hold the same romantic fascination for young lovers as do graveyards in the United States at night.

Two young Filipino boys with guitars have set up in business in one cemetery. They sit on a tomb and serenade a parked couple until they are paid to go and sit on another tomb farther away.

Witness Weeps As he Tells of Death March

By Hal Boyle

MANILA, Jan. 10.—(AP) — A slender young Filipino captain — a man the Japanese couldn't kill — today confronted in a war crimes trial courtroom the commander accused of responsibility for Bataan death march atrocities, Lt. Gen. Masaharu Homma.

At a judge's order, Capt. Pedro L. Felix, one of only two survivors of the massacre of 400 Filipino officers, peeled off his shirt and exposed his bare back.

Spectators gasped. Homma's bushy brows knitted as his black eyes saw four dark spots in the center of the young captain's back. Then he looked away.

The spots were scars left by four bayonet thrusts in April of 1942 when Japanese guards lined up 400 Filipino officers and non-coms at the edge of a ravine and beheaded or bayoneted them. Felix said the order to kill them was personally given by General Nara, a subordinate of Homma.

Wept as he Testified
Lt. Sgt. Horace M. Clark of Salisbury, Md., said a Japanese officer—engaged because an American soldier collapsed and could not regain his feet—hacked off the prostrate man's head with two sword strokes.

Col. John H. Ball of Williamsport, Pa., wept as he described "Death March" scenes. Wiping tears from his eyes, he told how a Japanese guard bayoneted a delirious Filipino who had flung himself down to drink ditch water.

"This Filipino made a noise you can't forget—like a baby crying," said the officer. "There are many things about that march your mind wants to forget—and can't."

Two Wills are Filed In Probate Court

Two wills have been filed in probate court.

That of Clinton Taylor who died December 15, 1945, in which he left his estate to his widow, Mrs. Zettie Taylor of Green Ridge, Rt. 2, his son Clyde Taylor, Sedalia, and daughter, Mrs. Clara Kinkead, Warsaw.

Mrs. Taylor was named executrix. The will of Nancy Aldredge, who died December 16, 1945, Hazel Clark, Sedalia, was named executrix in the will.

Re-enlisted to Return to Labrador

Sgt. Edward Franke, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Franke, 1817 South Stewart avenue, is home on a sixty day furlough from Labrador, which he is spending with his parents. Sgt. Franke has been in service twenty-six months and for the past twenty-one months has been stationed at the base hospital at Goose Bay, Labrador. He recently received his discharge in Labrador and re-enlisted for another year. He will return to Labrador at the end of his furlough. He was promoted a short time ago from corporal to the rank of sergeant.

Strike Affects Wholesale Grocers

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 10. — (AP) — Twenty-five of St. Louis' principal wholesale grocery firms shut down today because of a truck drivers' strike, and almost all retail grocers here were cut off from staple food supplies.

Deliveries of fresh fruits, vegetables, poultry, eggs and some meat continued, and a few large chain markets remained almost unaffected by the strike, as they operate their own warehouses and hold separate contracts with the drivers' union.

Has His Discharge

First Sgt. Robert L. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown of 506 West Missouri avenue, has received his military discharge. He fought with the Ninth army in Germany.

Divorce Petition

A petition for divorce was filed in the circuit clerk's office today by Julia Bradbury against Ernest G. Bradbury. The petition states that the couple were married on March 19, 1942. General indignities were alleged. The plaintiff asks for the restoration of her maiden name, Julia Truel.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Betty Berry McIntyre

Mrs. Betty Berry McIntyre, wife of Walter McIntyre, died Wednesday morning in Middleboro, Mass., following a stroke of paralysis suffered Tuesday morning, according to word received by her sister, Mrs. Ocie Smith of Houstonia.

Mrs. McIntyre, daughter of the late Thomas and Jennie Berry, was born and reared on their farm three miles northwest of Houstonia. She spent her young womanhood in Sweet Springs. A teacher, she gave private lessons in elocution for a period of time in Sedalia. Later she taught in the Philippines where she met her husband, also an instructor, who was sent to the Far East by the Presbyterian church. Their two sons, Raymond and David, who now reside in the eastern part of the United States, were born in the Orient, one in China and the other in Japan. In more recent years Mr. McIntyre was a professor at Wheaton college, Norton, Mass., and retired several years ago.

Mrs. McIntyre is a cousin of Mrs. Henry Longan, 517 West Seventh street, and of Mrs. C. L. Hanley and Miss Tracy Berry, 906 West Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre spent the winter of 1943-44 with Mrs. Ed Berry of Sweet Springs and frequently visited in Sedalia and Houstonia.

Mrs. Smith is the only survivor of the ten children of Thomas and Jennie Berry.

Funeral services for Mrs. McIntyre will be held in Middleboro Friday.

Claus M. Brandt

Claus M. Brandt, 83 years old, died suddenly of a heart attack at his home in Valley City, north of Knob Noster, about 8:30 p. m. Saturday.

He was born near Concordia October 20, 1862, the son of Henry and Alida Brandt, and spent his early life there. October 19, 1892, he was married to Miss Tillie Ada Hoffman and after three years spent in Wichita, Kas., returned to Missouri to reside south of Concordia several years. His past 36 years were spent in the vicinity of Knob Noster.

Surviving are his wife and three children, Adrain Brandt and Mrs. Mrs. John (Lillian) Egner of Independence, and Wordman Brandt of Wellington, Kas.; four brothers, Henry Brandt of Marshall, Frank Brandt of Dunksburg, Colo., and one sister, Mrs. Lena Habekost of Windsor. He is also survived by ten grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the Baptist church in Knob Noster, conducted by the pastor, Rev. O. A. Blaylock. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Billy Dan Covey, Mrs. S. L. Doggett, Mrs. Russell Kendrick and Frank Vaughn, who sang, "Going Down the Valley," "Abide With Me," and "Sweet Bye and Bye," accompanied by Mrs. C. F. Covey.

Palbearers were: Lloyd Chamberlain, Charles Arnold, Otto Baldwin, Edward Bruns, John Reid and Arch Mathews. Burial was in the Knob Noster cemetery.

Mrs. Ellen Haire Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Ellen Haire, who died in Pittsburgh, Pa., will be held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at Smithton by Rev. E. F. Dillon officiating.

The body will arrive in Smithton at 5:45 o'clock this evening accompanied by a daughter, Mrs. Webster Jones. Clayton Haire, a son, arrived yesterday evening from Wichita, Kas., and another son, Ernest Haire will arrive from Harlingen, Texas, tomorrow.

The burial will be in the Smithton cemetery.

N. A. Silsby Service

Funeral services for Nathaniel Austin Silsby, who died at his home, 2201 East Tenth street, Monday evening will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the McLaughlin funeral chapel with Rev. Ralph Emerson Hurd, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, to officiate.

Palbearers were: S. W. Welch, Lloyd Waters, Walter Banning, Charlie Watson, Harry Zimmer-schied and Harry Terrell. Burial will be in the Smithton cemetery.

William M. Reed

William M. Reed, 85 years old, died at his home in Green Ridge at 11:30 p. m. Wednesday after being in ill health a number of years, the past two of which he was confined to his bed.

Mr. Reed was born March 12, 1860, near Green Ridge, later moving to Spring Fork community where he spent his youth. He was a member of Green Ridge Baptist church, having joined the Bethlehem Baptist church, south of Sedalia, at the age of 14 years. December 5, 1883, he was married to Mary Elizabeth Keele, who died in September, 1922.

He was married to Miss Nellie Ireland September 7, 1924, who survives with the following relatives: one sister, Mrs. Jane Cramer, Florence; three brothers, M. E. Herman and Edward Reed, all of Sedalia; a niece, Mrs. Mae Garrison, Industry, Ill., who was reared in the Reed home; and a number of other nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held

Hunt for Murder Clues



Rudy Friedl (left), of the Chicago detective bureau, examines body in basement of apartment near the Chicago home of James Degnan, whose daughter, Suzanne, 6, was kidnapped and murdered. Hector Verburgh, 65, (in work clothes) janitor of the apartment building, who is in custody for questioning, looks on. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Green Ridge Baptist church by Rev. J. W. Woolery, pastor of the Baptist church of La Monte, the Rev. C. J. Michaelowsky and the Rev. J. G. W. Kirschner.

Music to be furnished by a choir of the Baptist church with Mrs. E. J. Sims in charge, will include "We'll Never Say Good-bye in Heaven," sung in accordance to a special request of the deceased.

Palbearers will be Ray Calvert, John Palmer, Carl Sims, Harold Ream, Arley Sanders and Melvin Ray.

Burial will be in Green Ridge cemetery.

Funeral of Fair Brothers

Double funeral services for Frank Fair and John H. (Dick) Fair, will be held at the East Sedalia Baptist church at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The Rev. Hallie Rice will officiate. McClellan Blaylock, Earl Blaylock, Miss Evelyn Blaylock and Miss Lenora Blaylock will sing "Going Down the Valley," "The Sweet Bye and Bye" and "The Old Rugged Cross" accompanied by Clay Blaylock.

The following close friends of the family will serve as honorary palbearers: Herbert Maddox, Charles Momborg, Michael J. Clifford, Jim Swearingen, Walter Banning and Luther Landis.

Active palbearers for John H. (Dick) Fair will be Dwight Dickson, Hugh Winters, Lionel Clifford, McKinley Thomas, George Momborg and Wm. D. Williams.

Active palbearers for Frank Fair will be: Walter Rissler, Lloyd Waters, John Wither, Vernon P. Glenn, Roy Denny and Earl Neff. Members of the American Legion will have charge of services at the grave.

Interment will be in the Crown Hill cemetery in the Fair family lot at the side of their father and mother.

The bodies are at the Ewing funeral home and will be taken to the East Sedalia Baptist church at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Mrs. L. C. Paxton Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Croft Paxton, 71, wife of Louis Christopher Paxton, who died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lemons, 1611 East Fourth street, Tuesday night, will be held at 10:30 o'clock Friday morning at the Gillespie funeral home with Rev. Ewing Kelley, pastor of the Gospel Tabernacle church, to officiate.

Miss Viola Reed and Miss Opal Kelley will sing, "Will the Circle Be Unbroken," "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," and "In the City Four Square." Miss Louise Crawley will be the accompanist.

Palbearers will be grandsons of the deceased: Otto Meyers, Charlie Brandenburger, Norman Paxton, Richard Stevens, Spencer Toliver and Vernon Brownfield.

Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery.

P. H. Bockelman Service

Funeral services for P. H. Bockelman, RFD, Cole Camp, who died at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, will be held at the St. Paul's Lutheran church in Cole Camp at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, with Rev. H. Renz, pastor of the church, to officiate. A short service at the Eickhoff funeral home at 1:30 o'clock will precede the services at the church.

Palbearers will be: Alvin Behrens, Otto Beckman, Elmer T. Heimsaugh, Leo Bahrenburg, Amos Bahrenburg and Oliver Bockelman.

Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery in Cole Camp.

Cpl. Max W. Riecke Out of the Army

Cpl. Max W. Riecke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Riecke, of Ionia, arrived home December 26 from Ft. Leavenworth where he received his honorable discharge.

He served three years in the Army Air Force of which eighteen months was served in the Pacific theatre. He participated in nine campaigns and wears five ribbons, one silver star and four bronze stars.

Mr. and Mrs. Max W. Riecke plan to make their home in Windsor.

Personals

Miss Evelyn Rodgers of Birmingham, Ala., who has been visiting relatives and friends here and in Marshall, left Wednesday for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Coe, 1208 East Ninth street, had as supper guests Tuesday evening Mr. Coe's nephew J. J. Coe, Mrs. Coe and their daughter Donna J. Coe.

Having served in France, J. J. Coe recently received his army discharge, one year, one month and one day from the time he entered service. He plans to enter CMSTC in Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Coe, who have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rutherford, 413 East Seventh street, left Wednesday evening for Pleasant Green to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clark Coe.

Jack Murray, EERM first class, who has been stationed at the naval air station in Los Angeles, Calif., is spending a 20-day leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Murray, 1317 South Lamine avenue. Upon receiving his discharge in March, he will return to the University of Southern California where he is a junior in the College of Commerce.

Mrs. T. S. Cunningham, 120 1/2 West Sixth street, is spending the weekend in Kansas City.

Moultrie Patten of Detroit, Mich., is here for a few days visit with his wife and baby, who are at the home of Mrs. Patten's parents Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hall, 908 West Tenth street.

Pvt. John Ditzfield of Camp Wolters, Tex., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ditzfield, of La Monte.

Mrs. C. E. Edwards and son of Kansas City are visiting her mother, Mrs. C. W. Wareham, 668 East Sixteenth street.

Traffic Cases

Five overtime parkers, one violator of the left hand turn and one who made a U turn, failed to appear in police court today and Judge C. W. Benie ordered their one-dollar cash bond forfeited.

Overtime parkers were: Mrs. V. E. Brock, 908 South Arlington, Cecil Franklin, 222 South Missouri, Mrs. D. P. Dyer, 524 South Grand avenue, H. L. Walker, 603 East Eleventh street, and Edward West, 1423 South Quincy avenue.

Oster Hout, Sedalia Army Air Field, left hand turn at Fifth street and Ohio avenue; Joch Oxley, address not given, U-turn at Third street and Ohio avenue.

Here to Attend Funeral

Those from out of town who attended the funeral services on Wednesday morning at Gillespie's funeral home for C. J. Gardner of Chickasha, Okla., who died Monday morning, were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. W. Haase, Mr. and Mrs. D. Haase, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Heisterberg and Mr. and Mrs. T. Tobaben, Cole Camp; Herman Haase, Chilhowee; Mrs. George Guntter, Mr. and Mrs. Herman T. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. R. Golden and Mr. and Mrs. C. Barnhart, Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robert and Mr. and Mrs. G. Robert of Jefferson City.

Births

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Schenk, LaMonte, at 1:34 o'clock this morning. Weight 7 pounds, 9 ounces.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brauer, Jr., of Mora at 3:13 o'clock Tuesday morning January 8, at the Bothwell hospital.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pangburn, 1200 South Summit avenue, at 11:43 o'clock Tuesday morning January 8 at Bothwell hospital.

Case Continued

The case of Richard Marshall, 216 West Morgan street, charged with disturbing the peace of his wife, was continued this morning until Tuesday January 15 in police court.

Everett Kemp Heads Letter Carriers' Assn.

Committee Chairmen Of Auxiliary Are Announced

Officers were installed at a local meeting of the Letter Carriers association, and a separate business session was held by the auxiliary also at Woodman-MacCabe hall, with the two organizations joining for a social session afterward.

Linden L. Jones is the retiring president of the men's group. New officers, installed by Everett Kemp, are Robert Scott, president; Hugh Jones, vice president; Ernest Bond, secretary; Charles Plumlee, treasurer; John Heisterberg, sergeant-at-arms, and Charles A. Smith, trustee for three years.

Siegald Woodward, a former member of the association, who recently was discharged from the army was reinstated. Mr. and Mrs. Porter Duff were welcomed as new members of the respective organizations.

An announcement was made by Mrs. Charles Plumlee of the Post Office association meeting to be held next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the Woodman-MacCabe hall.

Mrs. Hugh Jones presided over the auxiliary meeting. The following committee chairmen and co-chairmen were announced:

Entertainment, Mrs. Charles Plumlee and Mrs. Glenn Cox; telephone, Mrs. James Watts and Mrs. Homer Jones; sick and calling committee, Mrs. Harvey Hale, Mrs. Charles Smith and Mrs. E. Hamond; publicity, Mrs. Lorraine Lee Jones; social service, Mrs. Charles Gamber and Mrs. Charles O. G. Goodnight; constitution and by-laws, Mrs. Harry Hamm and Mrs. Ernest Holst; social activities, Mrs. Holst and Mrs. Fred Brummett.

Mrs. Charles Goodnight was elected second vice president.

A special guest was Mrs. Jack Jones.

Hosts for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holst. Cards were played and refreshments served after the business meeting.

PTA Council at Horace Mann

The Sedalia Council of Parents and Teachers held a covered dish luncheon at Horace Mann school Wednesday at 1:00 o'clock with 19 present.

Mrs. Lloyd Kirkpatrick, vice president, presided over the business session. The devotional was given by Mrs. S. Odell. Unit reports were given from the following schools: Broadway, Mrs. Cecil Odell; Horace Mann, Mrs. S. Odell; Jefferson, Mrs. V. Engle; Mark Twain, Mrs. Henry Menefee; Whittier, Mrs. William Dey; Washington, Mrs. Marvin Anderson; pre-school, Mrs. G. Blair; high school, Mrs. Cecil Glenn.

The next meeting will be a Founders Day luncheon at Broadway school.

Officers Have Commitments

FRANKFORT, Jan. 10.—(AP)—High U. S. Army staff officers tonight told representatives of 22,000 soldiers protesting delays in redeployment that "we have commitments in Europe and can not walk off and leave them."

These statements were made at a question and answer conference of 2 1/2 hours called by Maj. Gen. Harold P. Bull, theater chief of staff, acting for Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, who had gone to Berlin for the monthly four-power council meeting.

Bull summoned more than 50 GIs from all of the army units attached to U. S. forces in Europe into the war room headquarters following last night's protest demonstration.

Church Meeting at LaMonte

In accordance with a long established custom, members of the LaMonte Christian church met January 6 after the morning worship to enjoy a fellowship together in the church basement. A pot luck dinner was served.

Fred L. Schenk, chairman of the church board, called the afternoon session to order and after a short prayer by the minister, reports of various departments of the church and Bible school were given by the leaders, revealing a healthy condition prevailing in each department.

The nominating committee report was accepted, after which new officers of the Bible school and church were elected.

The Rev. Harvey Smith, minister, now serving in his fourth year with the church, summarized his work during 1945, calling attention to work he would like to see accomplished by the church during 1946.

Sgt. George May at SAAF

M. Sgt. George May, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee May of Hughesville who recently re-enlisted in the army is now stationed at the Sedalia Army Air Field.

Testament for Every Youth

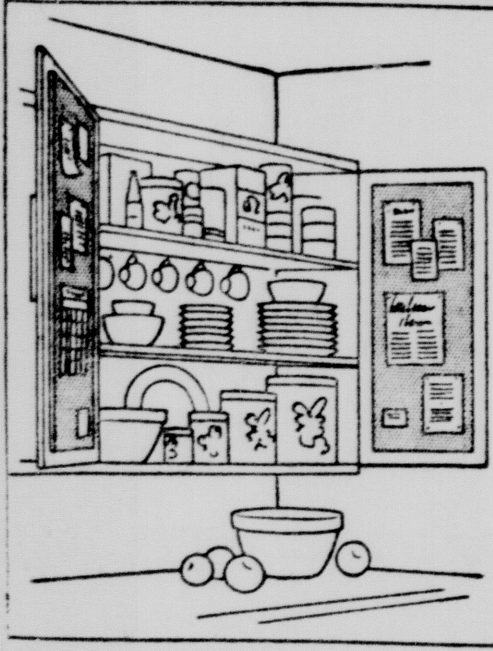
"A New Testament for Every Youth" is the new slogan of the Gideons, organization of Christian business men who have placed Bibles in hotel rooms throughout the country and distributed millions of Testaments to the armed forces.

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 22,500; market active, weights under 240 pounds steady to 15 cents higher; 240 to 250 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 250 to 260 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 260 to 270 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 270 to 280 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 280 to 290 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 290 to 300 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 300 to 310 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 310 to 320 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 320 to 330 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 330 to 340 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 340 to 350 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 350 to 360 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 360 to 370 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 370 to 380 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 380 to 390 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 390 to 400 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 400 to 410 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 410 to 420 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 420 to 430 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 430 to 440 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 440 to 450 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 450 to 460 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 460 to 470 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 470 to 480 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 480 to 490 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 490 to 500 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 500 to 510 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 510 to 520 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 520 to 530 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 530 to 540 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 540 to 550 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 550 to 560 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 560 to 570 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 570 to 580 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 580 to 590 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 590 to 600 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 600 to 610 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 610 to 620 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 620 to 630 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 630 to 640 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 640 to 650 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 650 to 660 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 660 to 670 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 670 to 680 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 680 to 690 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 690 to 700 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 700 to 710 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 710 to 720 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 720 to 730 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 730 to 740 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 740 to 750 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 750 to 760 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 760 to 770 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 770 to 780 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 780 to 790 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 790 to 800 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 800 to 810 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 810 to 820 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 820 to 830 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 830 to 840 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 840 to 850 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 850 to 860 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 860 to 870 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 870 to 880 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 880 to 890 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 890 to 900 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 900 to 910 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 910 to 920 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 920 to 930 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 930 to 940 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 940 to 950 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 950 to 960 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 960 to 970 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 970 to 980 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 980 to 990 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 990 to 1000 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1000 to 1010 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1010 to 1020 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1020 to 1030 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1030 to 1040 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1040 to 1050 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1050 to 1060 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1060 to 1070 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1070 to 1080 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1080 to 1090 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1090 to 1100 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1100 to 1110 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1110 to 1120 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1120 to 1130 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 1130 to 1140 pounds 10 to 25 cents higher; 11

Sedalia Woman is Grateful For Aid Society Has Given Her

It's an Idea!



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It was a great source of comfort to Mrs. Amelia Brown, 808 East Third street, Sedalia, to know that she could go to her local chairman of the Infantile Paralysis Foundation, Edw. P. Mullaley, state her problem, make a request for assistance, and be informed that she would receive care as soon as arrangements could be completed.

Just a few words of explanation regarding Mrs. Brown—in infancy she had infantile paralysis (poliomyelitis) which paralyzed the muscles in her legs from the knees down and into her feet. During childhood braces were worn, but in later life she has used only a cane. Work and occupation have been no problem and have included helping with outdoor farm work, household duties, and many years of factory experience.

Now, at the age of fifty-three, these overworked leg muscles are not as strong and dependable as formerly, so braces are again necessary to give the support needed to walk and maintain balance.

Taken To Specialist

A local physician made his recommendation of a specialist to be seen in Kansas City. An appointment was made with him and Mrs. Brown was taken to Kansas City for an examination. The specialist made recommendations for the purchase of proper shoes and the measuring of braces. Both of these recommendations were carried out. The braces are to be hand made and it will be a few weeks before a return trip can be made to Kansas City to have these braces applied and checked by the specialist.

It was also learned that Mrs. Brown's glasses were badly in need of changing. Since rehabilitation includes doing all necessary corrections to make a person at his best, the local Infantile Paralysis Foundation decided to make the purchase of new glasses, also.

Deeply Grateful

Mrs. Brown is deeply grateful for the assistance she is receiving and has been expressing her appreciation to her friends. One remark made to her when she had finished relating the services being offered her was, "I've heard of these societies doing such things, but I never knew that they actually would do so."

Undoubtedly it is a source of satisfaction to the people of a community to know of cases where their contribution to the March of Dimes is actually aiding their fellow citizens who have been stricken with infantile paralysis.

Fred Brummet has His Naval Discharge

Fred Brummet arrived in Sedalia Sunday evening after receiving his naval discharge Saturday. His wife and son Billy Joe reside at 1700 South Missouri avenue and his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Earl Brummet live at 1701 South Harrison avenue.

Brummet, an MAM 2/C, and an employee of the Sedalia post office before entering the navy, was stationed in Hawaii where his duties were in the mail service.

Did You Make These Children Happy?



POLISH war-orphans who have lived without shelter or care for as long as they can remember, smile happily as an UNRRA representative hands out clothing donated by the people of the United States in the nation-wide April clothing collection. Millions of other children overseas need all the protective clothing, shoes and bedding YOU can spare. Give them to the Victory Clothing Collection.

department of the navy until he departed for the states.

Book Review at Club Meeting

Mrs. Sallie Burford and Mrs. Pierpont Atkinson, assisted by Mrs. Bob Murray and Mrs. Hubert Burford, were hostesses at a meeting of the County Line Homemakers club January 3 at the clubhouse. Visitors were Mrs. Wilbur Hayden of Portsmouth, Va., and Mrs. Paul Hausman and Jimmy and Betty Snyder of Sedalia.

Mrs. Ernest Schupp, vice president, presided over the business session. Red Cross sewing was distributed to the members. Mrs. Lewis Zumsteg reviewed the book, "Quality," by Cid Ricketts Sumner.

The next regular meeting will be the first Thursday in February.

Jack A. Mindell Receives Discharge

Jack A. Mindell, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Mindell, 618 West Broadway, has received his honorable discharge from service and visited several days with his parents before leaving to join his wife at Dixon, Ill.

Mr. Mindell has been in service twenty-seven months, twenty-two of which were spent overseas. He was awarded two battle stars, the Philippine liberation medal, the good conduct medal, the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon, and the victory ribbon.

Plumage Changes

Some birds wear different colored coats at different seasons of the year, and the changes may be made by three methods: By molting the complete feather, by the breaking off of feather tips only, or by an actual change in the color pigment.

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Bob Shelton's Travels Are Interesting

Christmas greetings to the family from Robert Shelton were received by his grandmother, Mrs. C. O. Goodknight, 119 East Seventh street. These greetings were sent from Manila, Philippine Islands.

Bob Shelton joined the Navy in May, 1944 after his graduation from Smith-Cotton high school and was sent to Farragut, Idaho for his boot training. Two buddies were with him, Robert Hunt and Burl Salmons, and the three boys were together until they left boot training. All three were home together in August of 1944 and then went their separate ways.

Bob was sent to Bremerton, Wash., to be assigned to a ship which proved to be the U. S. S. Siboney, a carrier escort ship which is one of the larger of the small flatops. The ship was commissioned at Tacoma and Bob was assigned to the executive office as Yeoman striker. Since that time he passed the Yeoman examination and is now Yeoman 3/c in the engineering department of the U. S. S. Siboney.

After several shakedown cruises along the West coast of the United States, putting in at Alameda and San Diego, Calif., the ship went to Hawaii, giving the boys liberty and a chance to see the city of Honolulu. From there they went to the Marshall Islands and went into the town of Eniwetok, then on to the Carolinas, to Leyte, in the Philippines and up to Okinawa. There they were in the typhoon, doing so much damage, and the Siboney went out to sea to escape the storm but was in the outer edge of it.

Into Japan

The next stop was at Waka-yama, Japan and then to Tokyo Bay for quite some time, where the boys were allowed liberty to see Yokosuka, Yokohama, Nagaya and Tokyo. From there, they sailed to Saipan in the Marianas, where Admiral Ketchum and his staff were taken on board and the U. S. S. Siboney was designated as the Flag Ship of the U. S. Carrier Escort Command of the Pacific. Then on to Lingayen Gulf in the Philippines and on to Hong Kong. There the crew was given liberty to go into Hong Kong as the ship was there for a week.

Bob wrote that they went into Hong Kong on the 15th of December. They were among the first Americans to go to Hong Kong, China since before the war, and they found they could buy almost anything they wished as the natives had brought out things to sell which had been hidden away all during the war. Whole streets were blocked off for peddlers but also there were thousands of beggars in the streets. The boys saw all the sights and took rickshaws.

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Danny Elliott Back on Farm

Danny M. Elliott has returned to his home, a farm southeast of Green Ridge on which his wife and sons, Larry Gene and Wayne Lee, have resided during his absence, after receiving his naval discharge at Lambert Field, St. Louis, January 5. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Elliott of Green Ridge.

Entering service in June, 1944, he served as a seaman first class and gunner on a troop transport, "Brastagi," in both the Atlantic and Pacific areas.

Prior to entering service he was a farmer.

Kiss Filter



Because of the current prevalence of influenza in Hollywood, Warner Bros. stars Andrea King and Bob Alda have to filter their kisses with surgical masks in rehearsals. For the actual "take," caution is thrown to the wind.

rides and marveled at the speed and wind of the coolies.

The U. S. S. Siboney went into Manila, P. I. on December 23rd. Correspondent Hal Boyle was on board and several of his articles lately have been from the Siboney. The ship is now headed back toward Pearl Harbor.

Released By Navy

James E. Burns, boatswain's mate, second class, 713 East Tenth street has been discharged, after honorable service in the Navy, at the personnel separation center in San Francisco, Calif.

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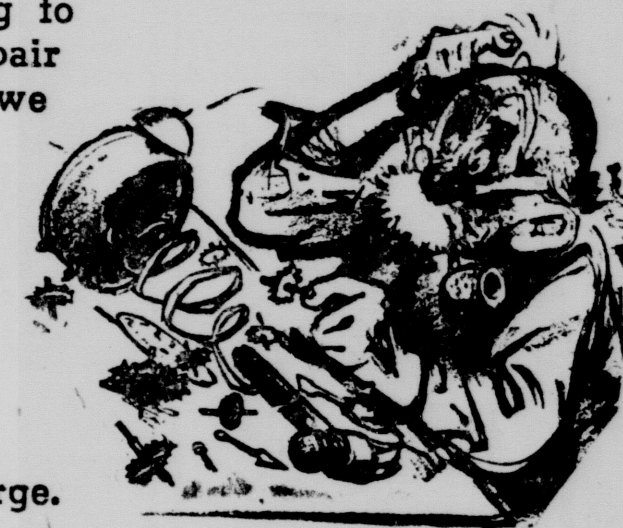


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Mrs. Mary Gatschett, 95, died at her home near Jamestown, Mo., December 30, 1945, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Gatschett was born September 23, 1850 at Miller's landing, the daughter of William and Elizabeth Germdinden. She was married to William Gatschett November 19, 1871. To

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this union was born ten children, five of whom have preceded the parents in death. Her husband died December 18, 1912. She had spent her entire life in Moniteau county and had been a member of the Methodist church since her youth. Surviving are three sons and two daughters as follows: Mike Gatschett of Jamestown, Albert Gatschett of St. Louis, Jake Gatschett of Knobnoster, Mo., Mrs. Biddy Nichols and Miss Doris Gatschett of the family home and one step-daughter, Mrs. Alice Walker of Centertown, Mo. Funeral services were held at 1:30 at the Jamestown Methodist church Tuesday afternoon. Rev. J. L. Nickerson officiated. Burial was in the Concord cemetery at Jamestown.

Mrs. Johanna Wetzig, 72 died very suddenly Friday, December 28, 1945, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Mattox at Kansas City where she was visiting. The body was brought to the Williams Funeral Home here. Mrs. Wetzig was born March 24, 1873, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoebring. She was married to Herman Wetzig November 26, 1896. They were the parents of three children, two of whom preceded her in death. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Mattox of Kansas City, she is survived by four grandchildren. Mrs. Wetzig was a life-long member of the California Evangelical church where services were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Paul E. Schoppe officiated. Burial was in the Evangelical cemetery.

G. L. Schuster, 77, a life-long resident of near California, died at his farm home Saturday, December 29, 1945. Mr. Schuster had been ill the past 11 years and bedfast a great part of that time. He was married May 1, 1897 to Miss Ethel Griesbach who survives. They were the parents of two children, Mrs. Paul Henry of Prairie Home, Mo., and Burke Schuster of California, Mo. Also surviving are a sister, Mrs. Eva Peters and a brother, William Schuster, both of California. He was a member of the Methodist church where funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2. Rev. George Heslar officiated. Burial was in the Moniteau Evangelical cemetery.

Mrs. J. C. Grady, 54, wife of Rev. J. C. Grady, pastor of the colored Methodist church, died December 27, 1945, at the home of Mrs. Anna Jones, where they had an apartment. She had been ill but was thought to be improving when she suddenly took a turn for the worse. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. R. D. Fountain officiated. Burial was at their former home near Lebanon, Mo. Besides her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Batrice Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Simmons and son, Ray, of St. Louis, visited Monday and Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. Clarence Pummil and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Depuy and two daughters, left Friday to drive to their home in Venice, California, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Birdsong.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Eckert and small son, Gordon, will leave Sunday for their home in Crystal Beach, Ontario, Canada, after visiting with Mrs. Eckert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pile.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lane and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bryan, all of Columbia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Proctor for the week end.

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ried to Herman Wetzig November 26, 1896. They were the parents of three children, two of whom preceded her in death. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Mattox of Kansas City, she is survived by four grandchildren. Mrs. Wetzig was a life-long member of the California Evangelical church where services were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Paul E. Schoppe officiated. Burial was in the Evangelical cemetery.

G. L. Schuster, 77, a life-long resident of near California, died at his farm home Saturday, December 29, 1945. Mr. Schuster had been ill the past 11 years and bedfast a great part of that time. He was married May 1, 1897 to Miss Ethel Griesbach who survives. They were the parents of two children, Mrs. Paul Henry of Prairie Home, Mo., and Burke Schuster of California, Mo. Also surviving are a sister, Mrs. Eva Peters and a brother, William Schuster, both of California. He was a member of the Methodist church where funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2. Rev. George Heslar officiated. Burial was in the Moniteau Evangelical cemetery.

Mrs. J. C. Grady, 54, wife of Rev. J. C. Grady, pastor of the colored Methodist church, died December 27, 1945, at the home of Mrs. Anna Jones, where they had an apartment. She had been ill but was thought to be improving when she suddenly took a turn for the worse. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. R. D. Fountain officiated. Burial was at their former home near Lebanon, Mo. Besides her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Batrice Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Simmons and son, Ray, of St. Louis, visited Monday and Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. Clarence Pummil and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Depuy and two daughters, left Friday to drive to their home in Venice, California, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Birdsong.

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Shown above are three unusual sleeve treatments seen in New York spring collections. Wool suit at left has shoulder pleated full sleeves; printed dress, center, introduces dolman-sleeve sleeves; the topper, right, features long, loose sleeves.

was at New Hope cemetery near Marion.

Mrs. Lank Robertson and daughter, Darles, left Wednesday for Kenova, Va., to join Mr. Robertson, who is on a river job there.

Kenneth Johnson returned to San Francisco, Calif., after being spending the winter at the home aunt, Mrs. Herman Klatt.

Mrs. Ross Newton of Versailles, Mo. was in California on business Monday.

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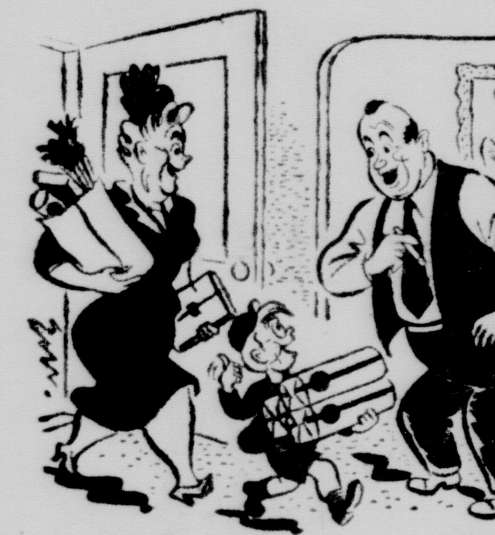
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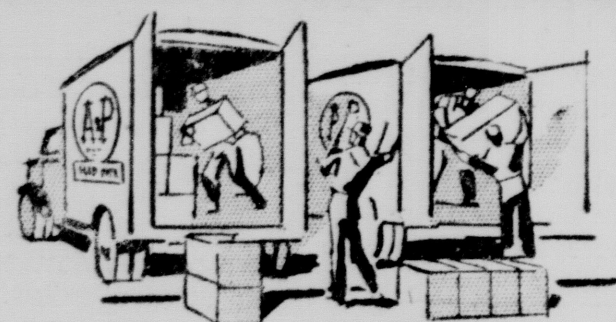
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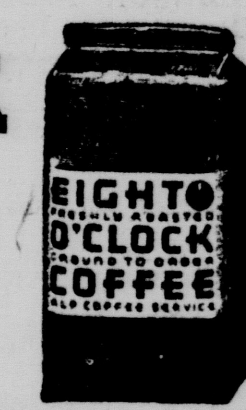
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28—Repairing and Refinishing
WANTED CARPENTER AND repair work. Call 2517-J.

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WATERPROOF YOUR BASEMENT: Waterproofing for carpets, cloth, concrete, cement, wood, plaster, outside walls, etc. Rose Plastics, Charles Rose, 507 South Ohio. Phone 594.

IV—Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female
WAITRESS WANTED: Day work. Call in person. Pete's Pig Pen.

WOMAN to care for infant during day. 213 South Grand.

WAITRESS WANTED: Apply The Interlude, 109 West 2nd.

WANTED WAITRESS: 616 South Ohio. Phillips Confectionery.

WANTED WOMAN for housework. 1116 West 11th or Phone 2163-J.

WANTED WHITE WOMAN. General house work. Phone 451 or 1782-J.

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Two Capable Stenographers February 1st

Permanent position. Opening new office. All replies confidential. Address Post Office Box 124. Sedalia, Missouri.

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WANTED YOUNG WOMAN for sales work. Attractive hours and salary. Dillon Bakery, 516 South Ohio.

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WANTED APPLICATIONS for carrier boys to carry The Sedalia Democrat-Capital. See Paul R. Mines, Sedalia Democrat-Capital.

34—Help—Male and Female
FINISHER AND general studio work. Experienced preferred but will teach inexperienced person. Good hours, good pay to right person. Snyder's Studio, 320 So. Ohio.

38—Business Opportunities
FOR SALE OR TRADE: Mc's Cafe, 117 West 2nd Street.

SHOE SHOP FOR SALE or trade for automobile. Phone 3998 after 6 p. m. or see James H. Weed, 705 East 5th.

V—Financial

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VII—Live Stock

42—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets
CANARIES—Breeding stock, selling on account of ill health. Pairs or single. Phone 2685-J.

P. R. REGISTERED Red Bone pups. Both parents broke straight comb hounds. Papers furnished. Jas P. Dunham, Route 4, Sedalia. Phone 12-F-12. 2 black and tan female combhounds started. Both have been in several catches.

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock
YOUNG JERSEY with heifer calf, heavy milk. 1702 West Bdw.

BUD ALLISON, 431 East 24th will kill your hogs.

DRESSED HOGS: Write or phone B. R. Poulter, Green Ridge, Mo.

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WE KILL, DRESS, PROCESS: Hogs, cattle, sheep and poultry. Process lard and sausage to order. Farmers Custom Market, 1822 South Ingram. Phone 122.

49—Poultry and Supplies
PLENTY NICE FRYERS: Phone 57-F-11 or 1654-W.

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HENS, FRYERS: Delivered Friday. Phone 10-F-14 or 4111. Lawrence Welch.

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CALL US FOR PRICES INQUIRE ABOUT PICK-UP AND CULLING SERVICE SWIFT AND CO. SEDALIA Phone 532

50—Wanted—Live Stock
I BUY LIVESTOCK OF ALL KINDS and haul fat hogs to Katy Yards in the radius of 20 miles of Sedalia. \$2.50 for full load. Two new trucks. Phone 279.

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale
ONE LOT of sheet metal workers machines. 1500 South Grand.

WOOD SAW RIG: Call 1622. Smithton, Missouri.

BABy CARRIAGE, bassinet, bathinette, and small bed, good condition. 917 1/2 West 3rd. Phone 2351.

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WALNUTS, cow and horse hides, furs, feathers, paper and rags. M. and M. Hide, Wood and Fur Company, 301 West Main.

X—Real Estate for Rent

75—Business Places for Rent
ONE TO FIVE ROOM SUITES: Decorated to your needs. Katy Building above Flowers Dry Goods Company. See Dr. Floyd L. Lively.

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81—Wanted—To Rent
WANTED FURNISHED APARTMENT at once. Phone 3896-W.

WANTED 5 ROOM unfurnished house. Will make permanent tenant. Phone 3515-W.

LADY WANTS TO RENT 4 or 5 room unfurnished apartment. Phone 2919.

WANTED FARM: References. Edwin Cretcher, Route 4, Sedalia, Phone 57-F-14.

WANTED FURNISHED apartment officer and wife, no children or pets. Lieut. Reis. Phone 2812.

EX-SERVICE MAN AND WIFE must have furnished apartment for permanent home. Call 4126.

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WANTED FURNISHED HOUSE or apartment. Officer and wife. No children. No pets. Write Box "6-A" care Democrat.

WANTED TO RENT: Modern unfurnished house by officer, permanently assigned to the Air Base. Call Extension 254 at Air Base.

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WANTED FARM: Equipped to operate large farm. Good references. Walter V. McClure and Son, Route 5, Sedalia. Phone 3662.

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83—Farms and Land for Sale
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DAIR

Annual Meet Is Held By The Farm Bureau

Olen Monsees Is Relected President—Several Speakers

The annual all-day meeting of the Pettis County Farm Bureau was held Wednesday at the First Methodist church with about 75 members attending. Olen Monsees, of Smithton, who has served as president for several years, was reelected to that office in the afternoon business session, and John M. Sneed was reelected vice president. Monsees presided over the meeting.

Coe Pritchett, Jefferson City, organization director of the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation, the principal speaker, gave an address on the general program of the state bureau, stressing the need for a stronger organization of farm people and outlining suggestions for an expanded program.

Points Out Problems
He pointed out some of the unsolved problems that farmers have faced and also new problems which will arise. He mentioned the tax problem, prices of agriculture products, flood control, transportation, rural health.

Pritchett spoke of the need of farm groups continuing to support such programs as soil conservation, farm security administration work, farm credit and REA.

"The Missouri Farm Bureau Federation has approved plans for the expansion of service to farm folks," Pritchett said, adding that one of the outstanding features is the organization of a Missouri Farm Bureau Automobile Insurance company.

Speaks On Bookmobile

Another afternoon speaker was Miss Kathryn Mier, Jefferson City, executive secretary of the Missouri Library commission, who talked about a mobile library for rural Pettis county. She emphasized the need for such a library, pointing out that a large number of rural people do not have access to library facilities at all.

Miss Mier continued to say that such a library would supplement work being done by schools, 4-H groups and other community organizations. A bookmobile, similar to one that would be used if such a library were put into operation in this county, was brought here from Jefferson City and was on exhibit after the meeting.

Wayne Hoehns, Smithton, described his trip to a 4-H summer camp in Michigan in 1945, and explained what 4-H work had meant to him.

Reports Given
J. U. Morris, county extension agent, and Miss Alice May Alexander, home demonstration agent, reported on extension work in Pettis county last year.

During the morning session committee reports were made by the following chairmen: Mrs. P. S. Read, home and community; Miss Mary Rissler, group hospitalization; Milton Mathew, livestock; Thomas J. Raines, legislative.

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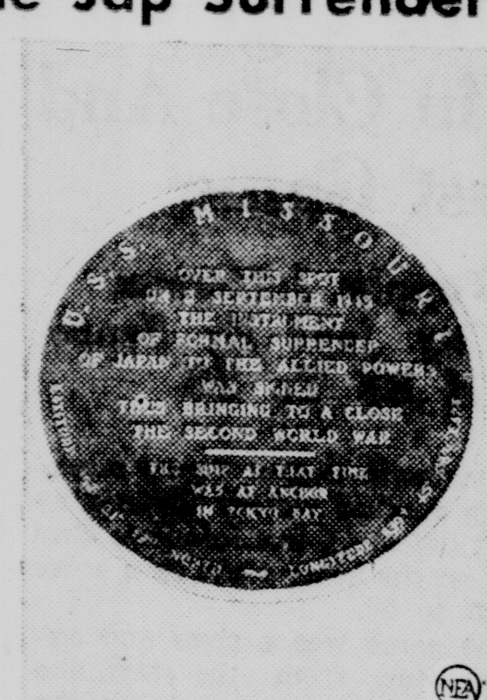
FIRST, the little men came in a white "Betty" bomber with green crosses to arrange the surrender. Even when they landed on Ie Jima and transferred to an American plane for Manila it still seemed like a trick to slow our attack, delay our invasion.



But the little men took back their orders to their emperor and on the assigned historic day—the second of September—an other delegation of solemn little men in ill-fitting uniforms and frock coats climbed aboard the battleship Missouri and signed terms of unconditional surrender.



General MacArthur broadcast the ceremonies to the world in an object lesson to aggressors and with a prayer for peace. At his shoulder, shown in the surrender scene above, stood two emissaries of the men who had first to endure defeat before we finally gained retribution in the Pacific—America's Gen. Jona-



than Wainwright and Britain's Gen. A. E. Percival.
To Wainwright fell the humiliation of surrendering Corregidor and to Percival, Singapore. The last panel above shows the bronze plaque which was bolted to the Missouri's deck to commemorate the Jap surrender.

Tomorrow: End of Infamy.

County PTA Met Tuesday

The Pettis County Council of the Parent Teacher Association met at the armory Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

In the absence of the president the meeting was presided over by Mrs. Verney Engholm.

Nineteen members were present and reports were heard from Anderson, Stokley, Otterville, Strippled College, Bothwell, Arator, Pleasant Green, Maplewood and Olive Branch.

Mrs. Engholm gave information and instruction concerning the clothing drive for the war victims and during the afternoon session Mrs. Hugh Jones gave a health talk on speech defects, its causes and methods of correction.

A discussion on hot school lunches was also held.

At the noon hour a covered dish luncheon was served.

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R. P. HUTCHISON, Owner

**Eight Players Added
To Detroit's Roster**
DETROIT, Jan. 10.—(AP)—De-
troit Tigers general manager
George Trautman has announced
the names of eight players added
to the team's 1946 roster.
Four pitchers, Rufus Gentry,
Harold Mander, Gilbert Elliot
and Gerry Burke were reinstated
from the inactive list by baseball
commissioner A. B. Chandler and
the remaining four are returned
servicemen Freddy Hutchinson,
pitcher, and Ray Radcliff, Denny
Morton and Victor Wertz, out-
fielders.

S. C. Tigers Win Close And Fast Game

Topple Jefferson
City Jays By Score
Of 33 To 28

The Smith-Cotton Tigers marked
up another victory Wednesday
night defeating the Jefferson City
Jays on the home court by a score
of 33 to 28.

The game was a close and ex-
citing one from the start, the
Tigers securing and holding the
lead all the way.

"Jimmie" Egbert and Dave Mil-
ler of Smith-Cotton's cagers were
high point men with a tie of ten
points each. Walz was high man
for the visitors with nine points.

The score by quarters was as
follows:

First quarter, S. C. 8—J. C. 7;
Half S. C. 21—J. C. 15; Third
quarter S. C. 23—J. C. 22; Final
S. C. 33—J. C. 28.

The Jefferson City Jays were
fighting hard all through the con-
test, which was exceptionally fast.
A large and enthusiastic crowd
attended.

The score by quarters was as
follows:

First quarter, S. C. 8—J. C. 7;
Half S. C. 21—J. C. 15; Third
quarter S. C. 23—J. C. 22; Final
S. C. 33—J. C. 28.

World Series Shots Are Very Confusing

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—(AP)—
Lew Fonseca was putting on a
preview of the 1945 World Series
movie the American league is
about to spring on the public,
and he explained how one of
his film cutters quit after run-
ning off the first six games and
Lew asked him how come.

"Because," the fellow came
back as he grabbed his hat, "I've
looked at six games now and I
don't think either team is gonna
win it."

It was that kind of a series,
you recall, and not even the
snappy job work Lew and his
picture takers and editors did in
bringing out the highlights of the
seven-game set can hide it. And
when you look over the 2,500
odd feet of film showing the Tig-
ers finishing in front of the
Cubs, you're more convinced than
ever that it wasn't a case of
which team won the series—but
which team the series won.

Western Association To Meet in Topeka

DES MOINES, Jan. 10.—(AP)—
The Western Association baseball
league, which will resume play
this year for the first time since
1942, will hold its annual meet-
ing at Topeka, Kas., Jan. 20. Pres-
ident Tom Fairweather announced
today.

Association members are Joplin
and Springfield, Mo.; Fort Smith,
Ark.; Muskogee, Okla., and To-
peka, Salina, Hutchinson and
Leavenworth, Kas.; Salina and
Leavenworth are new affiliates
this season.

Wednesday Basketball Results

By The Associated Press
EAST
Philadelphia Navy 66, Fort Miles (Del.)
25.
Villanova 54, Bucknell 32.
Wesleyan 50, Amherst 48.
Cornell 77, Rochester 49.
Harvard 65, Boston University 48.
Dartmouth 53, Quonset Navy 42.
Princeton 50, Rutgers 37.
Pittsburgh 56, Carnegie Tech 45.
U. S. Military Academy 70, Swarth-
more 38.
West Virginia 59, Long Island Univer-
sity 51.
Valley Forge General Hospital 61, Penn
30.
SOUTH
Aberdeen Bombers 64, Washington Col-
lege 37.
Duke 51, Carolina 46 (extra period).
Virginia 63, Washington and Lee 25.
Camp Blending 49, Florida 44.
MIDWEST
Loyola University (Chicago) 58, North
Central (Ill.) 31.
Camp Atterbury 76, Notre Dame B 43.
Valparaiso (Ind) 62, Puerto Rico 30.
Kansas 39, Kansas State 27.
Otterbein 62, Lockbourne AAF 15.
FAR WEST
University of Nevada 51, Mather Field
42.
Colorado 68, Denver 30.

PUBLIC SALE

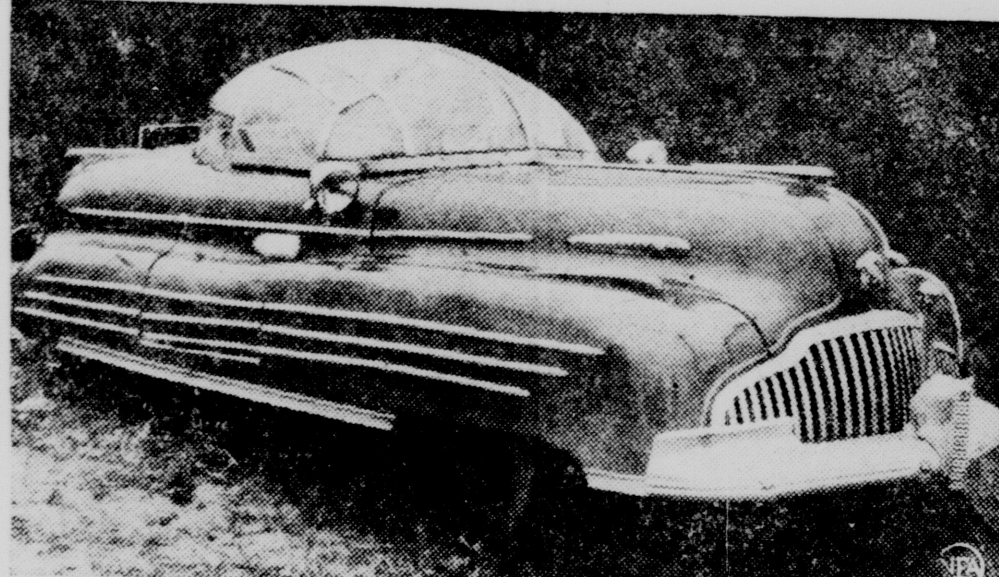
Having decided to quit farming and dairying, I will sell at public
auction on the farm known as the Kemp Hieronymus farm, five miles
south of Sedalia, on Highway 65, on

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 16, 1946

SALE BEGINNING AT 10:30 O'CLOCK

12 HEAD COW DAILY COWS
1 4-yr. Jersey cow, calf by side, 5 gal.
daily
1 8-yr. half Jersey, calf by side, 5 gal.
daily
2 6-yr. Jerseys, calf by side, 4 gal. daily
each
1 8-yr. Swiss Jersey, calf by side, 5 gal.
daily
1 6-yr. Jersey, 3 gal. daily
1 6-yr. Holstein, 4 gal. daily, fresh in
April
1 6-yr. Holstein, fresh in February
1 4-yr. Jersey, fresh in February
1 6-yr. Black cow, fresh in February
1 6-yr. Red cow, fresh in March
1 3-yr. Jersey, 3 gal. daily, fresh in Mar.
1 8-yr. Jersey, 3 gal. daily, fresh in Mar.
1 6-yr. Jersey, 2 gal. daily, fresh in Mar.
1 5-yr. Jersey, 2 gal. daily, fresh in Feb.
1 7-yr. Jersey, 3 gal. daily, fresh in Apr.
1 8-yr. Jersey, fresh in Feb.
1 2-yr. Hereford bull, extra good
HORSES
1 Mule, 11 yrs.
1 Mare, 6 yrs.
1 Coming 2 year colt
1 Set work harness
1 Set work harness
3 Collars
Several cow and horse halters
Hegari, loose lespedea hay
Several pounds shelled popcorn
Lunch will be served on the grounds.
Nothing will be moved until paid for.
AUCTION—Lawson Clingan
CLERK—Jim Green

Meet the 'Hollywood Streak'



"Hollywood Streak" is the name given the auto above, designed
by George Bartlett, Detroit garage operator. Powered with a
100 hp. motor, it weighs 2,200 pounds, is 48 inches high, 140
inches long and 60 inches wide. Top is transparent plastic.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—(AP)—Do
not be surprised if a new college
football conference is organized
in the east in the near future
and this one will operate as a
real league, not just as an asso-
ciation like the "Ivy" group.

Some of the likely members are
New York U. (ain't that a sur-
prise?) Temple, Penn State, Col-
gate, Syracuse and West Virginia.
The loop may also be extend-
ed to basketball if NYU can make
a deal to play league games in
the Garden. One reason why
Sam Braden's bankroll is fatter
is that Walker Cooper twice asked
to be released after Eddie Dyer
was named manager of the Cards.
Their feud goes back to Cooper's
minor league days. When Pac-
ific coach league proxy Pants
Rowland visited his old home
town, Dubuque, Ia., last month,
scribes reported he did more to-
ward obtaining a city stadium
in two days than committees
could do in weeks.

Sports Before Your Eyes

When Ed Barrow and Babe
Ruth were spotted sitting together
at the preview of the American
league world series movie yester-
day, somebody asked if they were
rehashing some of their old salary
arguments. "I'll sign to play
right field, Ed," said the Babe,
"if you'll play shortstop." The
American leaguers, incidentally,
are starting a series of technical
films for the benefit of school
and college coaches. The first,
on base running, features
George Myatt, George Case and
George Stirmweiss.

Everything's Jake

"Jacob Lamotta," reports Tub
Thumper Harry Markson, "owns
considerable real estate in the
Bronx. He also knows his way
around in the stock market. He
owns a baseball club and backs
a bowling team. As a hobby he
raises Doberman Pinschers. Do
not ask us what he does with
his spare time." Maybe that's
when Jake does his fighting.

Cleaning the Cuff

Jimmy Walthall, last year's
freshman ace at West Virginia, is
in the army at Camp Beale, Ore.,
and one report says he was the
best footballer on the west coast
last fall. But don't tell that to
anyone who saw Herman Wede-
meyer.

Former Baseball Playing Servicemen Into Training

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—(AP)—
Twenty-six former baseball play-
ing servicemen aspiring to berths
in the Chicago Cubs' farm sys-
tem will leave Sunday for the
Bruins' Lake Worth, Fla., training
camp.

Jack Sheehan, director of the
Cubs' farm system, said today the
special training camp established
for the Cubs' ex-GI farm hands
will open next Tuesday. Twenty-
one Chicago boys are included in
the group.

Fights Wednesday Night

By The Associated Press
BANGOR, Me.—Johnny Campbell, 138,
Brewer, outpointed Leo Methot, 138,
Montreal, 8. Eddie Turner, 174, Bangor,
knocked out Tommy Burns, 172, Hamp-
den, 2.
BRICKTON, Mass.—Archie Gibbons,
133, Hartford, Conn., outpointed Johnny
Cool, 134, Worcester, 10.

Lone Star PTA Has Program

Mrs. Frank B. VanDyke, pres-
ident of Lone Star Parent-Teacher
association, presided at a meeting
of the organization the night of
January 2. The opening song
sung by the group, "PTA Song"
and "Auld Lang Syne," were fol-
lowed by the Missouri Parent-
Teacher prayer read by Mrs. Van-
Dyke.

The following program was pre-
sented: quiz, led by Leroy Van-
Dyke; piano solo, "Till the End
of Time," Vera Kathryn McFad-
rich; poem, "F. B. VanDyke,"
Faith's Foundation, read by
Helen Anderson.

Refreshments were served.
Mrs. Arthur Heineman will be
in charge of the February 6
Founders' day program.

Sports Mirror

By the Associated Press
TODAY A YEAR AGO — Gun-
der Haegg and Haakon Lidman,
Swedish track stars, agreed to
travel to United States by ship
for indoor track season.

THREE YEARS AGO — Fran-
cisco Secura beat Billy Talbert,
4-6, 6-4, 2-6, 6-3, in pan-Ameri-
can tennis tourney at Mexico City.

FIVE YEARS AGO — Lou No-
va, 2004, outpointed Pat Com-
iskey, 2044, in 10 rounds at New
York.

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Shown
3:05
7:30
9:40

San Francisco Open Has the Touring Pros

Byron Nelson Tees
Off Without his
Practice Warm-up

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 10.—(AP)—
The touring PGA pros, still
determined to break the spell of
all-time golfing money winner
Byron Nelson, teed off today in
the first 18 holes of the \$25,000
San Francisco Open tournament.

Nelson's competition over the
tricky Lakeside course includes
Ben Hogan, Sam Snead, Harold
McSpaden, E. J. "Dutch" Harri-
son, Sam Byrd and a host of oth-
ers he bested in winning the
\$13,333 Los Angeles Open last
week.

Nelson, who gathered in \$66,-
500 in bonds last year, is shooting
for his third straight win at San
Francisco. He arrived too late for
a practice warmup, over the par
11 course which is muddy in
spots.

On the first round he matches
shots with Marvin S. (Bud) Ward
of Spokane, Wash., the duration
national amateur champion who is
making his first comeback after
army airforce service, and Law-
son Little, former National Open
and British and American amate-
ur finalist.

Hogan, who has been giving
Nelson the swiftest race, is paired
with Ernie Peiper, Jr., San Jose,
ex-California amateur champion
and Johnny Bulla, the flying man
from Chicago.

Snead teams up with Bob Ham-
ilton, the 1944 National PGA
champ and Ralph Hall, the Oak-
land, Calif., policeman.

TEN YEARS AGO — Major
league baseball schedules revised
to provide four interseasonal se-
ries, instead of three, during 1936.

U. S. Hockey League
By The Associated Press
Wednesday Night's Results
Fort Worth 2, St. Paul 0.
Kansas City 9, Minneapolis 1.
Tonight's Games
St. Paul at Dallas.

Masonic Notice
Sedalia Chapter No. 18,
R. A. M. will meet in
stated convocation on
Thursday evening, Jan.
10, at 7:30 o'clock. Installation of
officers for 1946.
Bryan Howe, H. P.
J. P. Hurt, Sec'y.

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Pettis Chapter No. 279
O. E. S. will meet in
regular session Friday
evening, Jan. 11 at 7:30
o'clock. Visiting members wel-
come. "Social Session."
Mildred M. Reed, W. M.
Gertrude Holland, Sec'y.

**UPTOWN • LAST
TIMES
TODAY**
Greenwich
Village
with DON
ANACHE
CARLEN
MIRANDA
William BENDIX
Vivian BLAINE
PLUS
DON "RED" BARRY
"MY BUDDY"

FRIDAY - SATURDAY
BLAZING HEARTS!
John Wayne
Ann Dvorak
Schulz-Raut
CO-HIT
BOB STEELE • HOOT GIBSON
"UTAH KID"

MIDNITE SHOW SATURDAY
GINGER • FRED
ROGERS • ASTAIRE
"CAREFREE"
STARTS SUNDAY
"THE GOOD
OLD DAYS"

LIBERTY

PHONE 250
LAST TIMES TONITE
"What Next Corporal
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Adults 55c Children 14c

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HE'S A DAME-DIZZY "DICK"
... up to his neck in
laughter and blondes!
BROWN

Cassidy teaches a ten-
derfoot some Western
tricks in love and war!
**CLARENCE E. MULFORD'S
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OF THE WEST"**

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JIMMY ELLISON**
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Directed by Howard Bruberton

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FOX NEWS

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CHILDREN 14c

ADULTS 35c
CHILDREN 14c

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Kremel Hair Tonic
93¢
Glover's Mange Medicine
69¢
Fitch Dandruff Shampoo
59¢
Wild Root Cream Oil
57¢
Lucky Tiger Shampoo
69¢
Caldwell's Syrup of Pepsin
57¢
Pine Tar & Honey Cough Syrup
23¢
Grove's Cold Tablets
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New Area of Freedom For China

Truce To Bring It For All Of The Parties In That Country

By SPENCER MOOSA
CHUNGKING, Jan. 10—(AP)—A truce in civil strife and a new era of political freedom for Communists and all other parties in China were announced today after two dramatic, eleven-hour conferences arranged by Gen. George C. Marshall, American mediator.

The former U. S. army chief of staff—dispatched to China by President Truman as a special envoy—went into action when truce negotiations appeared to be breaking down last night.

Marshall hurried into conference with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, then called the government and Communist negotiators into an unheard-of session this morning nine hours ahead of schedule.

Chiang granted amnesty to all political prisoners except "traitors" and those found to have committed definite acts injurious to the Republic.

Chiang, opening the political consultation conference almost simultaneously with the conclusion of the cease fire agreement, announced the government had decided to:

1—Grant the people freedom of person, conscience, speech, publication, and association and to safeguard them against illegal arrest and trial.

2—All political parties shall be equal before the law and may operate openly within the law.

3—Local self-government will actively be promoted in all places and popular elections will be held.

4—Political prisoners, except traitors and those found to have committed definite acts injurious to the Republic, would be released.

Marshall broke deadlock. Gen. Chou En-Lai, No. 2 Communist leader, approved the four points and said they were basic for achieving constitutional government.

Gen. George Marshall, special U. S. envoy to China, broke the deadlock in Chinese negotiations for a truce last night by visiting Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek. Differences over wording a cease hostilities order were ironed out.

It was believed that Chiang agreed to modify his previous insistence that the Nationalists should occupy certain specified strategic areas in the inner Mongolian provinces of Chahar and Jehol.

"Cease Fire" Order

The "cease fire" order was issued after Gen. Chang Chun, government representative, and Gen. Chou En-Lai of the Communists meeting with General Marshall, special U. S. envoy to China, reached an agreement in a surprise meeting, held nine hours ahead of schedule.

The order was issued by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek and Mao Tse-Tung, Communist chairman at Yenan on the basis of the agreement reached by the committee.

Military commanders on both sides were directed to halt all troop movements, except for the transport of government troops into or within Manchuria to restore Chinese sovereignty. The order also prohibits destruction of—and interference with—all lines of communications.

Gen. Marshall Aided

General Marshall agreed shortly after his arrival in China three weeks ago to assist in outlining procedures for a cessation of hostilities.

The Communists reported only last night that the government's demand for occupation of Manchuria—Chahar and Jehol provinces particularly—was "unacceptable."

Announcement of the truce came as 38 delegates of China's various political factions gathered for today's opening of the Political Consultation Conference in the Hall of Ceremonies of the National Government building.

U. S. Gunners Shot Down Some U.S. Planes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10—(AP)—Gunners on American warships in Pearl Harbor, jittery after the Japanese attack the morning of Dec. 7, 1941, shot down some American planes that night.

The incident was disclosed today in publication of testimony by Admiral Husband E. Kimmel, 1941 Pacific fleet commander, to the Roberts Investigating Commission four years ago.

The number of planes shot down was not developed in the examination.

'Come Out Fighting'

Mayor Roger T. Sermon of Independence, assured the delegates to the eleventh annual convention of the Missouri Municipal League that "a real man is in the White House, a typical Missourian."

Speaking briefly at the banquet Thursday night, at Hotel Bothwell, Sermon, who reminded the audience that he hails from the town where the Little White House is located, likened Harry S. Truman to a "Missouri hound dog" in this wise: If a predatory animal pack takes out after him and runs him into a corner he'll catch his breath and come out fighting. And likewise, "Harry Truman when pushed far enough comes out fighting and somebody is going to be sorry."

Sermon, a Democrat, and a candidate for reelection as the mayor of Independence, concluded by exclaiming that "The country is in good hands, in spite of Truman's sudden rise to the White House."

Mayors Hear Talk On Way To Assist 'Vets'

Problems Of Cities Discussed In Convention

Ways of assisting World War II veterans were discussed by Dr. Thomas A. Brady, Columbia, vice-president of the University of Missouri and director of the university's veteran program, in a talk Thursday night at the banquet of the Missouri Municipal League, which climaxed the opening day of its eleventh annual convention.

Speaking to an audience of 150 Missouri city officials in the Ambassador room of Hotel Bothwell, Dr. Brady answered the question—title of his address, "How Can We Help the Returned Veteran With His Problems?" from the municipal standpoint, speaking of the work of Veterans Centers.

He explained that the University of Missouri now has one field representative and plans to engage six or seven more in a university-sponsored service to assist communities in helping the service man with reference to matters pertaining to the G. I. Bill of Rights.

The convention delegates and guests were welcomed by Mayor A. H. Wilks, of Sedalia, a director of the Missouri Municipal League, and the response was made by J. C. Griggs, mayor of Carthage, the league's vice-president.

Arthur F. Bangert, mayor of Florissant, president, presided at the banquet meeting, and also over the sessions held during the day. The sessions will continue today when new officers will be elected.

Tells of Forming League

Roger Sermon, mayor of Independence, called the "grand-daddy" of the league by virtue of his efforts as the founder, was called on at the banquet and told of its organization, pointing out that "the way the Municipal League is growing it will have much to do with what's happening in Missouri."

Also introduced were E. H. Chapin, mayor of Kirkwood, a former president, and Julian H. Bagby, former mayor of Sedalia, and at one time head of the league.

Mayor H. C. Rethwisch of Fayette made an after-dinner talk, including several appropriate stories.

Singing was led by James Denny, assisted by Mrs. B. B. Mettiss, with Mrs. W. L. Monegan accompanying at the piano.

The final talk of the Thursday afternoon session was made by H. W. Thomas, district engineer of the Bureau of Community Facilities, Federal Works Agency, of Kansas City. He spoke concerning Title 5 of the Reconstruction Act wherein the government makes advances to communities for preparing plans and specifications for post-war construction.

Several speakers will be heard today. The opening session will be at 9:30 o'clock at the hotel with L. P. Cookingham, city manager of Kansas City, and trustee of the A. M. A., presiding.

Problems of the various cities are being discussed and interesting talks pertaining to post-war planning are being given by the speakers who have made intensive studies of their topic on which they speak.

The convention was opened at 9:30 a. m. Thursday with Dr. John W. Williams, Jr., assistant health commissioner of the state board of health, speaking on "Health Problems in Missouri."

L. E. Ordebeide, assistant public health engineer of the board of health took as his topic "Garbage and refuse Collection and Disposal in Missouri."

"The licensing program of the (Please Turn to Page 6, Col. 2)

Choice To Quit Fleet Agree Or

Such Was The Assertion Of Kimmel Made To Commission

By JACK BELL and WILLIAM T. PEACOCK
WASHINGTON, Jan. 10—

(AP)—Congressional investigators learned today that Admiral Husband E. Kimmel told the Roberts commission four years ago the Washington administration insisted on keeping the fleet in Pearl Harbor and he had the choice of agreeing or quitting as its commander.

The admiral's testimony at previous secret inquiries, furnished to members of the senate-house committee today, disclosed that on Dec. 27, 1941, in Honolulu, Kimmel told the group headed by Owen J. Roberts, then Associate Justice of the Supreme Court:

"I knew that the navy department and the administration in Washington insisted on keeping the fleet out here. I knew of the vulnerability of the fleet here. I thought it was appreciated in the navy department as well as my, but it was one of the things I felt was beyond my power to change.

Wishes Other Course Taken

"I had the choice of saying I would not stay and to get another commander-in-chief, or to remain. Naturally, I wish I had taken the other course at the present time, but I did not.

The 63-year-old retired admiral, who Secretary Forrestal has said should never again hold a position with the navy requiring the exercise of "superior judgment," is to begin his first public testimony before senate-house committee next Tuesday.

Contents Offered

Committee members, studying his complete testimony before the Roberts commission, a navy inquiry board and an army inquiry board, found these principal contentions by Kimmel:

1. "Things would have been different" if Washington had furnished him all the information it had obtained through intercepting and decoding Japanese messages.

2. Had he been forewarned with information obtained when the Japanese consul's codes were seized in Honolulu Dec. 7, 1941, he would have ordered all fleet units to sea and would have put all his planes in the air.

3. If he had flown long-range reconnaissance from Nov. 27, when he received a "war warning" message, the army and navy would not have had enough planes to make up an air striking force to "go after the enemy if we found him."

4. He felt it "incomprehensible" that the army did not report to him until December 9 that its radar had plotted the course of the Japanese planes retiring from the attack.

5. From actions of the navy department he believed that it shared his own opinion that an air attack on Pearl Harbor was only "a remote possibility."

6. He saw no navy men intoxicated the night before the attack. Kimmel disclosed that he was struck on the chest by a spent machine gun bullet as he watched the attack from his headquarters windows.

Be Open To Take Income Filings

The local zone office of the United States Internal Revenue department, sixth district of Missouri, on the second floor of the Sedalia postoffice building will be open Saturday, January 12, and Monday, January 14 as well as Tuesday, January 15 for convenience to those taxpayers required to file income reports, on, or before January 15.

It is announced this accommodation to the taxpayers will be available at night as long as needed, but not later than 10 p. m.

An exceptionally large number of farmers, and others required to file by January 15 under the internal revenue laws have already made returns.

Approve Pay Hike

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 10—(AP)—A bill to raise the salaries of Missouri circuit court reporters was passed by the senate and sent to the governor today.

The increases would boost the pay of clerks now getting \$3,000 a year to \$3,500; raise the pay of those getting \$2,500 to \$3,100 and increase those getting \$2,000 to \$2,600. The reporters of the Cape Girardeau common pleas court would be boosted from \$1,200 to \$1,800.

Find Body Of Woman In River

BOONVILLE, Mo., Jan. 10—(AP)—The body of Mrs. Forrest Brewington, who was reported missing from her home last night, was found today in the Missouri river near the Katy bridge by Patrolman J. E. Seeley.

Coroner J. R. Smith said he would hold no inquest in that evidence indicated suicide. Seeley said she had apparently anchored herself to a tree stump by means of a rope. A note was found on the bank of the river.

Mrs. Brewington had been ill for several months, the coroner said, and was confined to her bed last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Brewington and their daughter came to Boonville from St. Louis when Brewington purchased the Boonville Merchandise company.

Give Caution On 'Disrespect'

"Stars And Stripes" To Use Soldier-Written Letters

HONOLULU, Jan. 10—(AP)—Lt. Gen. Robert C. Richardson, Jr., cautioned the mid-Pacific Stars and Stripes today not to speak disrespectfully of those in authority, but explained later he had no intention of muzzling the outspoken, soldier-edited newspaper in connection with the current demobilization controversy.

Stars and Stripes used as a headline in its Jan. 7 issue for a story on a Manila demobilization demonstration "Patterson branded number one enemy by jeering mob."

The story referred to Secretary of War Patterson.

"Although men of my (mid-Pacific) command may disagree with policies of government and express themselves freely thereon, it is improper while we are in uniform to attack our leaders as individuals," Richardson said. He explained that such attacks "violate the articles of war which I am under oath to enforce."

"Free To Disagree"

Today's edition, published after Richardson's directive, did not carry a single word written by G. I.'s but after the directive was clarified Stars and Stripes said it would resume with soldier-written news, letters and soldier cartoons and editorials tomorrow.

At a later press conference, Richardson explained his directive meant that there must be no derogatory remarks made against individuals in authority but that the paper was free to disagree with the policies of the government and express itself freely.

"He has given us back freedom of the press, for which we are thankful," commented M/Sgt. Charles Avedon of Los Angeles, editor-in-chief.

Avedon explained that he and his staff had interpreted the directive to mean that there could be no criticism of the army or its policies because such criticism would be derogatory to officers.

"That wouldn't be derogatory," the general said "that would be controversial."

The Thursday Stars and Stripes carried only stories from news services, which were exempt from Richardson's cautionary directive.

Richardson said: "You are in military service and Stars and Stripes is a paper published under auspices of the United States army with authority of the secretary of war."

The "crisis" brought out thousands of G. I.'s to mass meetings in Honolulu and Seoul, Korea, demanding speedier reduction of America's overseas army.

Soldiers in Manila cheered General Eisenhower's order for return of non-essential men as the answer. General MacArthur implemented that order with one of his own that no ship sail for the United States from his command area with an empty berth.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

William D. Linville, Cole Camp, admitted for surgery.

William Henry Ash, 1901 South Limit avenue, and W. H. Ball, 1428 South Park avenue, admitted for medical treatment.

Mrs. James McFarrich and daughter, of Smithton, dismissed.

Mrs. Alvin Viebrock and son of Mora and Mrs. Walter Jennings of 812 West Fourth street dismissed.

Mrs. Fannie Leslie, 1021 South Harrison avenue; Willa Ann Sawford, route 2, Otterville and Janet Riley, 725 West Fourth street, admitted for medical treatment.

Bruce Harvey Anderson, Hughesville and Johnnie Lee Ricker, Route 1, Lincoln, dismissed.

Sgt. George May at SAAF

M/Sgt. Geo. W. May, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee May of Hughesville who recently re-enlisted in the army is now stationed at the Sedalia Army Air Field.

Strike Picture At A Glance

By The Associated Press
About 415,000 idle in labor disputes.

Major developments:
Automobiles — Presidential fact-finding board recommends general wage increase of 19½ cents an hour, or approximately 17½ per cent, for striking General Motors workers; union had demanded 30 per cent. President Truman terms recommendations thorough and reasoned.

Communications — Western Electric employees' spokesman says union has submitted company a proposal which might end strike and avert national telephone strike; spokesman for long distance operators say 1,000 will leave posts today (Friday) and be joined by 6,000 more during day.

Picketing of telephone exchanges to begin today by installation workers who walked out Wednesday; Washington telephone service curtailed in unrelated walkout of switchboard operators.

New York City still virtually isolated, telegraphically, from rest of nation as Western Union strike continues.

Steel — U. S. Steel and CIO United Steelworkers resume collective bargaining in last-minute effort to avert strike set for Monday.

Automobiles — Fact-finding board's report in General Motors strike reaches White house; contents not made public immediately.

Janitors Free Under Writ

New Clues For Kidnap-Slayer Are Followed

CHICAGO, Jan. 10—(AP)—Hector Verburgh, 65, janitor friend of "every kid in the block" was ordered released from custody late today and the hunt for the kidnapper of pretty six year old Suzanne Degnan centered on suspected sex offenders.

Verburgh's wife, Mary, 64, and Desere Smet, 35, another janitor, all held for two days, also were released on writs of habeas corpus when the state's attorney's office told Chief Justice Harold Ward of the criminal court the state had no evidence to warrant filing charges against any of the three.

All three had been held only for questioning.

Verburgh, who tenants said "wouldn't harm a fly" and "loved children" was seized after investigators said they located the "dissecting room" where the kidnap victim was cut to pieces in the basement of an apartment building he tended.

Smet was a janitor acquaintance who tended several nearby buildings in the Edgewater district on the north side—all in the immediate neighborhood of the Degnan home.

Verburgh, who lives in a building he tends across the streets from the Degnan home and is janitor for two other buildings including the one in which police say the girl was dismembered, told reporters he intended to go to a hospital.

He appeared tired and shaken from two days of questioning.

The two janitors and Verburgh's wife stoutly denied any knowledge of the abduction and killing. The writ for their release on a habeas corpus petition was filed on behalf of Mrs. Germaine group.

The aged janitor was supported by his wife during the brief hearing and appeared on the point of collapse. His attorney, Joseph A. Ricker, was ruled out of order when he asked Judge Ward to "take notice of the condition" of his client.

Turn To Other Suspects

Meanwhile, the return to suspected sex offenders, a theory expressed almost at the outset of the investigation despite presence of a \$20,000 ransom note left in the victim's room—indicated the hunt had started all over from the beginning again.

The ladder the killer presumably used to enter the bedroom of the little victim was traced to a nearby nursery and police started a check of two suspected sex offenders who once stayed there.

Mrs. Margaret Perry, operator of the nursery home two blocks from the Degnan residence, told police the seven foot ladder found at the rear of the Degnan home had been left at the nursery two years ago by a roofing company.

Five Killed In Disorders In Occupied Iran

TEHRAN, Jan. 10—(AP)—Five persons were killed and nine wounded in political disorders in Russian-occupied northern Iran, government sources said today, as a cheering Iranian parliament was told that a British-American proposal for a tri-partite investigation of Iran's internal affairs would be rejected.

Picketing Of Exchanges Is Postponed

Nationwide Tieup Of Phone Service Today Averted

NEW YORK, Jan. 10—(AP)—Ernest Weaver, president of the Association of Communications equipment workers (Ind.), said tonight that the union had postponed plans for picketing telephone exchanges in 44 states tomorrow, apparently temporarily removing the threat of a nationwide phone tieup.

Weaver said the picketing had been called off until Monday morning.

He made the announcement after talking with Labor Secretary Lewis Schwellenbach by telephone and accepting an invitation to confer with the labor head and officials of the Western Electric company in Washington tomorrow.

Schwellenbach entered the controversy as Weaver told reporters that negotiations were broken off.

Weaver said after the breakup of negotiations late tonight that it would be "practically impossible" to call off all the picket lines at such a late hour. Picketing had been scheduled to start in Michigan and part of Indiana at 12:01 a. m. (EST).

Picketing likely would halt a considerable portion of the nation's long distance and other manual switchboard phone service. President Joseph Beirne of the National Federation of Telephone Workers had said here earlier in the day he expected 263,000 federation members to honor the picket lines.

Complain Of "Speed Up"

Beirne made his statement to reporters on the possibility of a country-wide tieup as he emerged from a four hour session held by the United States Conciliation service over a separate strike of the Washington operators. The local operators walked out at 10 a. m. today.

They complained of a "speed-up" which they said had been ordered by the local company, and of what they called too close supervision by company officials. A company spokesman said "no new duties had been added" and asserted that the walkout came when the company insisted that supervisors perform the duties for which they were employed.

There was a one-hour stoppage last Friday over the same complaint.

The strike here affected the capital's manually operated switchboards. Dial phones were not affected.

The telephone installation workers went out on strike Wednesday for more wages in 44 states.

Plan Forming New VFW Post

Thirty veterans of World War II, eligible for membership in the Veterans of Foreign Wars, met at the State Guard Armory Wednesday night at which time they formulated plans for a new V. F. W. Post in Sedalia. Temporary officers elected were Captain William Miller as chairman and Sgt. Arthur H. Jens, quartermaster and adjutant.

Twenty-three of the veterans signed as charter members and any veteran eligible who joins on or before Wednesday night January 23 will also be charter members.

At the next meeting, which is to be held at the armory, election of officers will be conducted and the naming of the new Post voted upon, after which the formal request to be accepted by the Veterans of Foreign Wars will be made.

Harry O'Neill, commander of the Walter Elkins Post V. F. W., was a guest and spoke on the Veterans of Foreign Wars and answered questions regarding the organization.

It was announced that in Pettis county there are 2,700 veterans of World War II who are eligible for membership. All of these veterans are invited to attend the next meeting whether they become members or not.

The organization of the new V. F. W. Post has no connection whatsoever with the recently organized 128th Field Artillery Club, although many of the Club are assisting in the organization of the new Post.

Bus Strike Has Been Settled

After a strike which lasted thirty days, called by AFL Local number 541, on the Sedalia Bus company an agreement described as being "satisfactory" was reached and the strike officially ended at 6:00 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Terms of the agreement grant the drivers "closed shop" operation, seniority rights, pay boost and all former drivers were put back to work, it was reported. Better working conditions were promised, according to the settlement.

L. L. Studer Home From Mexico

L. L. Studer, for the past three years chief stores and reclamation officer for the United States Railway Mission with headquarters in Mexico City, aiding in the rehabilitation of the Mexican railroads in all parts of the country, has completed his work for which he was loaned by the Missouri Pacific Lines and has returned home. Mrs. Studer accompanied him. They are now at their residence, 721 West Third street.

Mr. Studer, who returned to Sedalia Wednesday, was the oldest technician in point of service with the mission when he left. He will resume his duties as district storekeeper for the Missouri Pacific on January 16.

New Peace Group Started In London

Attlee And Zuleta Warn Of War Ravages

By JOHN A. PARRIS
LONDON, Jan. 10—(AP)—A new world's peace organization was founded today in bomb-scarred London with Great Britain's Prime Minister Attlee challenging all peoples to choose between "life and death" and outlaw war.

Moving swiftly, the United Nations Assembly elected as its first President Belgian Foreign Minister Paul Henri Spaak, then adjourned until tomorrow.

Spaak's election was a tactical victory for Britain over Soviet Russia, which unsuccessfully sought the acclamation election of Trygve Lie, Norwegian foreign minister. Lie's name was the only one formally placed in nomination—but on the secret ballot which Britain demanded Spaak received 28 votes to Lie's 23.

The new chapter in man's age-long struggle for peace began at 10:03 a. m. (CST) when Dr. Eduardo Zuleta Angel of Colombia, temporary president, called the First General Assembly into session at Central Hall or Parliament Square, one of the few large assembly places untouched by Britain's six years of war.

"Would Destroy Mankind"

Both Attlee and Zuleta in their opening speeches warned that another war would destroy mankind.

The election was resolved quickly and amicably only few minutes after Attlee voiced his sombre plea for international harmony:

"The coming of the atomic bomb was only the last of a series of warnings to mankind that unless the powers of destruction could be conquered immense ruin and almost annihilation would be the lot of the most highly civilized portions of mankind."

Delegates of 51 nations, acting for 90 per cent of the people of the world, listened intently as the British Prime Minister outlined two main tasks for them—the creation of a special commission to work out atomic energy controls and organization of an eleven nation Security Council to act, by force if necessary, to prevent or suppress wars.

League Anniversary

Earlier, Zuleta—perhaps remembering that today was the 26th anniversary of the founding of the League of Nations at Versailles—declared "we cannot with impunity fail mankind again."

When the gray-haired, bespectacled Zuleta rapped on a gold-covered table for order some 2,000 statesmen and women sat at the rows of shiny, natural finish oak tables set in a semi-circle in the white-walled hall.

The Russian and United States delegations shared a table at the extreme right of the hall. Occasionally Mrs. Roosevelt chatted with her Soviet neighbor.

The meeting ended soon after Spaak was elected.

Fearful Parts Of Body Of His Child

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 10—(AP)—Adam J. Natalie, 22, of Chicago, told to police here today he was fearful that the dismembered parts of a baby's body found yesterday in St. Louis were those of his child.

Natalie, Police Lt. Charles Welch said, reported his wife, Frieda Natalie, 19, and their 18-month-old child, Adam, disappeared while passengers on a train from Lamar, Colo., to Chicago. He said he had searched for them through Missouri and Iowa.

In St. Louis, where police were attempting to establish identity of the body, they reported that no child had been declared missing.

Portions of the body were discovered when workers opened a drain pipe in an apartment building in answer to a complaint of a clogged pipe.

Propose 19½ Cents Pay Hike

President Is Eager That Fact Finder Report Will Help End Strike

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10—(AP)—President Truman's fact-finders tonight recommended settlement of the General Motors strike on the basis of a 19½ cent hourly pay raise, and said they were satisfied the company could pay it without increasing the price of cars.

The President endorsed the panel's voluminous report in full and strongly urged that it be accepted.

A White House adviser, whose name cannot be used, indicated strong optimism over the prospect of ultimate—though perhaps not immediate—acceptance of the plan.

He said preliminary conversations with principals on both sides, in which the proposed raise percentage was discussed, produced no statement of rejection. It was emphasized, however, that there had been no agreement to accept it.

This adviser said the fact that Kaiser-Frazer already has signed a wage agreement with the same union for production of small cars at the former Ford bomber plant at Willow Run, together with reported readiness of Ford to pay any amount agreed to by General Motors, probably will influence General Motors.

Study For Report

General Motors spokesmen said there will be no statement from the company until officials have had a chance to digest the voluminous report.

R. J. Thomas

Jenkins Ins. Co. Sold By Owner To Three Sons

Mrs. C. A. Jenkins To Retire. Jack Connelly To Manage Business

Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, Dean apartments, owner and manager of the Jenkins Insurance Company, has sold the business to her three sons, Major C. A. Jenkins, Jr., Lieut. Col. Edward L. Jenkins, both of the army, and Commander Thomas H. Jenkins, U. S. Navy. After the first of February she will go to Florida for a sojourn of several weeks.

Managing the business will be another well known Sedalia, Jack Connelly, who was released from the army, where he held the rank of Captain, on November 10, after five years in military duty. He was 20 months overseas with the 35th Fighter Group, Air Corps, in the Pacific. Mrs. Connelly, a former Fresno, Calif., girl, will be in charge of the office, located in the Sedalia Bank and Trust Co., building.

An Established Business
The insurance company is probably the oldest in the city, dating back to 1882. The late C. A. Jenkins, the first member of the Jenkins family in the business, purchased the Quisenberry and Nelson Insurance Company, later adding the A. P. Espenchen company. At the death of Mr. Jenkins, in 1929, Mrs. Jenkins took charge and has continued its operation most successfully since.

With the close of the war the sons, who were in the midst of activities, for a considerable length of time, now want to relieve their mother of the responsibility and have persuaded her to retire.

Major Jenkins, who is with the 78th division, and has been in Berlin, is expected to arrive in the states today for a 45-day leave. His wife, during his absence, has been making her home with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. D. Allee, in Wadsworth, Kas. Dr. Allee is a Colonel in the army, stationed at Fort Leavenworth.

Lt. Col. Edward L. Jenkins has been in service 11 years, over 15 months recently with the Far East Forces. His wife has made her home in St. Louis during his absence.

Commander Thomas H. Jenkins enlisted in the service nine years ago, and has seen 38 months overseas service.

Cpl. N. Hinken Has Discharge

Cpl. Nelson Hinken, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hinken, 2100 East Broadway, received his honorable discharge at Jefferson Barracks on January 1, and has arrived home.

He entered service on July 14, 1942 and has been overseas for the past sixteen months in the China-Burma-India theatre of operations. He was a member of the 1891st aviation engineers battalion which was the first group of engineers to travel the Leda road from Bhamo Burma to Kunming, China. For this feat each member of the battalion was given a letter of commendation from a high ranking officer in the Chinese Army.

He wears the Asiatic-Pacific theatre ribbon with four bronze battle stars for participation in the India-Burma campaign, the Central Burma, China defense and China offense campaigns.

High Point Veteran On His Way Home

PEARL HARBOR, T. H. — J. F. Bodine, (cox.) husband of Mrs. Stella F. Bodine of 509 South Park avenue, Sedalia, is one of 1,200 high point navy veterans whom the "Magic Carpet" is bringing back to the states aboard the USS New Kent.

The USS New Kent, one of more than 300 carriers, battleships, cruisers and attack transports in the navy's famed "Magic Carpet" fleet—left Saipan Dec. 21 and was scheduled to arrive in San Pedro about January 4.

Passengers will go directly to the Separation Centers nearest their homes to complete the formalities of obtaining their discharges before returning to civilian life.

Returning On The 'Magic Carpet'
Pfc. Kent A. Tarr, 1020 South Missouri avenue, is on the of the 1,743 high-point army veterans whom the "Magic Carpet" is returning to the States according to information received from the Public Information office, Commander Service force, United States Pacific fleet, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Tarr is aboard the U. S. S. President Adams, which left Yokohama, Japan, December 21 and was scheduled to arrive in Seattle, Wash., January 4, from which point the veteran will be sent to a separation center to receive his discharge.

Released By Navy
S. T. M. 1/c William David Cochran, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Cochran, 311 East Cooper, has received an honorable discharge from the U. S. Navy in which he served 26 months, 24 of which were spent in the Pacific. Cochran has six battle stars.

Warrant Officer George Petty Home On Terminal Leave

"Walking geography" describes in part the qualifications of Warrant Officer (j.g.) George Petty, of Sedalia, in his duties as a member of a spearhead military government detachment that served in France, Holland, Belgium, Luxembourg and Germany. Petty, who has been in active service over five years, leaving here with the National Guard units, returned home the first of last week after 21 months overseas.

The warrant officer, who is on terminal leave until March 1 when his discharge will become effective, is visiting his mother, Mrs. George Emory, Jr., and Mr. Emory, of 604 West Broadway.

When the detachment was pinpointed to move into a certain territory, sometimes in three days and other times three months later, the men immediately began a detailed study of that area. They learned the name of the mayor of the contested city, the population, number of churches, schools, hotels, the names of all the streets, the religious preference of the community, political leanings, etc.

Equipped For Allied Control
Forearmed with such knowledge the teams were specifically equipped for the work of allied control. Main duties of the military government units were first to supply army needs and second to maintain civilians above starvation levels of living. No luxuries, however, were allowed the conquered populations, Petty declared.

For the final four months of his overseas duty he was postal, telephone and telegraph officer in charge of some 5,000 miles of communication lines in an area in Germany of 1,000,000 population. Petty was then headquartered at Darmstadt.

Efficiency sometimes necessitated the modification of hard and fast rules concerning the employment of Germans classified as Nazis, Petty explained. For instance, all postal employees had been required to hold membership in the reichspostbund, but not all were active in the party. If the employees had been "fired" en masse the postal system would have been entirely disrupted. Therefore, those who were found to be inactive in Reich activities were retained in technical, but not policy-making, positions.

Another Exception
Another example of an exception was a man who knew the locations of the cable lines in Darmstadt. All maps and diagrams of the underground cable system had been destroyed before the entry of the Allies, and it would have taken long hours of digging to locate breaks. The man who had the needed information was "screened," found to be only a nominal party member and was retained as a tentative employee subject at any time to release.

Re-education has begun over most of Germany, Petty said. Certain college professional courses, such as medicine, nursing and law, have been resumed.

New concepts of history, government and philosophies will be contained in textbooks provided by the Allies, or in rewritten texts sanctioned by the military government.

In Supervisory Capacity
In his post-victory work Petty was assigned to the regional team of Landhessen, which was in supervisory capacities of a zone that was set up much like a state in this country.

Detached from the 231st Field Artillery in January, 1943, Petty left the United States in April of that year with a casual company for England where he studied military government for five months, and upon completion of this specialized training he was assigned to the detachment which moved onto the continent with attack troops.

During the special course the trainees acquired a practical knowledge of French, more extensive familiarity with German and a thorough grounding in governmental structures.

The Sedalia first went into action near Arnheim, Holland, and entered Germany before the fall of Aachen, vital western front bastion, on October 17-18, 1944.

Was With National Guard
Petty entered federal service with the Missouri National Guard, headquarters battery, second battalion of the 128th Field Artillery when mobilization was ordered November 25, 1940, and left Sedalia on December 5 with the local batteries. He observed his twenty-fourth birthday anniversary last Friday.

He joined the Guard in April of 1940, a month before he was graduated from Smith-Cotton high school, and received his warrant while in communications work with the 231st F. A., following graduation from the army radio engineering school in Washington, D. C. Petty also attended a frequency modulation theory school at Lexington, Ky., in his early army training.

Petty was interested when he learned that a 128th Club has been formed here, which joins together local men who in the majority hold records for longevity of service in World War II.

Decorations
The warrant officer has four battle stars on his ETO ribbon, also wears the American defense, American theatre, Victory and Good Conduct ribbons and was awarded a meritorious service plaque. He also is entitled to the Occupation ribbon.

During his tour of duty overseas Petty served with the American First, Seventh and Ninth Armies and the British Second, and was attached for a short period to the Canadian First, an unusual record of experiences with famous Allied armies.

Father-Son Program for School PTA

The Striped College Parent-Teacher Association met Friday night January 4 with the president, Mrs. Ralph Thomas presiding. The meeting opened by all singing the P. T. A. song, "America, the Beautiful," and "Our Battle Hymn for Children." Mrs. Clarence Leiter was song leader accompanied by Miss Mary Sue Monsees at the piano.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Martin Schupp. Mrs. Don McQueen and Mrs. Ralph Thomas gave reports on the lunch room.

It was voted to have a chili supper at the next meeting and those who wish to donate pies are welcome to do so. The money is to go for the lunch room.

It was announced that a clothing drive for overseas relief is being made and every one should do his his part. The clothing should be good, serviceable and clean. Articles not wanted are: feather beds, toys, straw hats, high heel slippers, mattresses and novelties. Baby and children's clothing are badly needed. Bring these to the school by January 18.

Program
The meeting was then turned over to the program chairman, Mrs. R. Kuykendall. It was Father and Son night and the following program was given:

Billy Monsees accompanied the fathers and sons singing "Work for the Night is Coming," "Yankee Doodle," "Reuben and Rachel" and "Comin' Thro' the Rye."

The following committee served refreshments: Mrs. Clarence Leiter, Mrs. N. E. Seigel and Mrs. R. Kuykendall. The next meeting will be held February 1.

Rebekah And IOOF Officers Installed

In a joint installation, January 1, under the direction of district deputy president, Addie Edmondson of Windsor and district deputy grandmaster, John Palmer, of Green Ridge Rebekah Lodge No. 830 held the installation ceremony of their officers for the new year.

The Rebekah lodge installed the following officers: Verna Palmer, noble grand; Mattie Myers, vice grand; Erma Whallen, recording secretary, Mary Alice Pace, financial secretary, Faye Ridenour, treasurer; Sula Brown, warden; Nina Brown, conductor; Gladys Fletcher, chaplain; Grace Still, outside guardian, Estil Marti, inside guardian; Veda Calvird, flag bearer Corrine Baum, musician; Nellie Jones, right supporter N. G.; Katie Carpenter, left supporter N. G.; Mrs. Harley Williams, right supporter V. G.; Ora May Davis, left supporter, V. G.

The following officers of I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 300 were installed for the next regular term of six months: W. C. Hayes, noble grand; Emory Brown, vice grand; Harold Johnson, secretary; Roland Fletcher, treasurer.

After the installation a refreshment course was served to twenty visitors from the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges from Windsor and forty were present from the Green Ridge I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges.

Necklaces From Ie Shima

Allan Maddox, W. O. formerly of Sedalia, who is now eligible for discharge but is still overseas on the Island of Ie Shima, sent to his mother, Mrs. W. H. Maddox and his sisters, Naomi Maddox and Mrs. H. E. O'Neal of Tipton, Iowa, each a shell necklace. They arrived Christmas Eve. The shells were polished and mounted by American soldiers.

Returns To Houstonia

Hubert L. Stone, first class petty officer, received his naval discharge December 21 and has returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stone, at Houstonia. Stone served four years in the Pacific area and two years in the Atlantic area. His wife is the former Miss Martha Lou Collins of Sedalia.

Soldier Joins Wife Here

Van G. Smith, who has been in the Army Air Corps for the past four years, received his discharge at Denver and has arrived in Sedalia. His wife is the former Miss Betty Gasperson and has been making her home with her sister, Mrs. Mark Green, 901 South Prospect avenue, while her husband was in service. After a visit here they will go to Houston, Tex., to make their home.

Released By Navy

Edward L. Finnell, signalman, first class, USNR, 721 East Thirtieth street, has been discharged, after honorable service in the Navy, at the personnel separation center in San Pedro, Calif.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. J. H. Donaldson Service

The body of Mrs. Nellie M. Donaldson, wife of J. H. Donaldson, who died here on January 1, 1946 at her home, 1203 South Osage avenue, was expected to arrive in California Saturday where burial will be made.

Funeral services were held at the Gillespie funeral home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Donaldson had been in failing health for several months but was not considered seriously ill until late in November when it was found she had a heart ailment.

Mrs. Donaldson was born on February 6, 1869, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Bagby, pioneer residents of Johnson county near Knob Noster. She was the oldest of five daughters, three of whom survive her as do two of her five brothers. She was educated at the Warrensburg Normal and taught school two years before her marriage to J. H. Donaldson, also of Johnson, in 1889. The couple lived their entire lives in Johnson and Pettis counties coming to Sedalia about twenty-five years ago where Mr. Donaldson was employed as a coach carpenter at the M-K-T shops where he is still an employee.

Five children were born to this union, all surviving. They are R. E. Donaldson, of Hollywood, Calif.; Mrs. Mabel Boesch, of Cole Camp; Mrs. Eunice Powell and Mrs. Nellie Reuggesser of Taft, Calif., and Mrs. Elizabeth Miles of Bakersfield, Calif.

Early in life Mrs. Donaldson united with the church of which she was a faithful member.

Mr. Donaldson and Mrs. Powell accompanied the body to California.

Funeral Of Mrs. Beems

Funeral services for Mrs. Jessie Beems, who died at the Bothwell Hospital Saturday morning, were held at the Ewing funeral home at 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon. The Rev. Ralph Emerson Hurd officiated.

Mrs. F. O. Withers and Mrs. E. L. Ringen sang "Does Jesus Care," "Near to the Heart of God" and "Beautiful Garden of Prayer" accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser.

Friends who served as pallbearers were Emmett Vaughn, Lloyd Gordy, Harry Simmons, Roy Simon, "Bub" Barnes, Lewis Vaughn.

Interment was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Belle Hupp Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Belle Hupp, 81 years old, who died at the home of her son, Mason Morgan, 634 East Fifth street, Saturday morning, were held at the McLaughlin funeral chapel at 12:30 o'clock Monday afternoon with Rev. A. M. Crawley, pastor of the Church of the Open Bible, officiating.

Mrs. Albert Crawley and Mrs. Gene Kelley sang: "The Old Rugged Cross," "In the Garden," and "On the Cross of Calvary." Miss Louise Crawley was the accompanist.

The body was taken to Spring Hill, Kas., for burial.

Alvin P. Stuart Service

Funeral services for Alvin Powell Stuart, 814 East Ninth street, who died at the Bothwell hospital Friday morning, were held at the Gillespie funeral home at 3:00 o'clock Monday afternoon with Rev. J. W. Watts, pastor of the East Broadway Christian church, officiating.

Mrs. J. W. Watts and Helen Whittington sang: "The Old Rugged Cross," and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," with Mrs. Beulah Colson as accompanist.

Six of his ten sons served as pallbearers. They were Dubert, Pearl, Jack, Wallace, Leslie and Earl.

Burial was in the Memorial Park cemetery.

Infant Dies In Kansas City

Word has been received of the death of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Harrison, who was born Sunday, December 30 and died Thursday, January 3. Mrs. Harrison was formerly Genell Ellis, daughter of the late Isaac Ellis, who died September 13, 1945. Funeral services were held at the home at 4000 Bales Avenue in Kansas City at 1:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Burial was in Kansas City.

Horticultural Society To Meet January 22-24

The annual meeting of the Missouri State Horticultural Society will be held at the University of Missouri January 22-24, according to an announcement by W. R. Martin, Jr., of Columbia, secretary of the organization.

Subjects to be considered are the use of D. D. T. and other insecticides in spraying, new fungicides that promise control with less fruit and foliage injury, new methods of applying sprays to fruit trees, the apple merchant-disinfecting act, and the post war outlook for fruits.

Motorcycle Burns

A motorcycle, which caught fire at Sixteenth street and Grand avenue, about 9:54 o'clock Sunday morning, was badly damaged. The damage was estimated at \$150. Both fire companies answered the alarm.

The machine belonged to Fred W. Wehmeier, who resides nearby.

Youth Chosen To Attend 4-H Congress Tells Of Experiences

(Written by Ira M. Williams, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Williams, Houstonia, a state winner in leadership to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, December 2 to 6.)

One of the highest honors I have received is the privilege of attending the National 4-H Club Congress held in Chicago, since the Congress delegates are a select group of the finest rural youth in America. Approximately 1,500 4-H club members and leaders from the United States and Canada made up this year's delegation.

The Congress consisted of tours, discussions, and entertainment. The tours to the National History Museum, the Shedd Aquarium, Museum of Science and Industry, and the National Stock Yards were an education in themselves.

I enjoyed very much the Sunday morning service in the Central church of Chicago. Being a guest taking part in their program was another highlight of the Congress. Dr. Richard Raines, pastor of the Hennepin Methodist church of Minneapolis gave us a challenge when he said "Youth must use their talents or lose them."

Theme of Congress

The theme of this year's National 4-H Club Congress—"4-H in a Changing World"—was a challenge to all of us.

The ten guide posts for 4-H club programs used in our discussion groups brought out many things

for each of us to think about and will aid in guiding our thinking of the future. The guide post "serving as citizens in maintaining world peace" probably received most emphasis in group discussions. It was generally agreed by the delegates that the only way of maintaining world peace is by following the example of the Prince of Peace.

Nationally known people such as Clinton P. Anderson, Secretary of Agriculture; Thomas E. Wilson, chairman of National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work; M. L. Wilson, director of extension; Fowler McCormick, president of International Harvester company; J. L. Kraft, chairman of Kraft Foods company; C. F. Kettering, vice-president of General Motors; and others gave us an inspiration to achieve greater goals. I especially enjoyed the entertainment by the many national stage show performers. The outstanding party was in the Aragon ball room where everybody took part in the folk dances and other games and entertainment.

Provides opportunity

One of the objectives of the National 4-H Club Congress summarizes the fine things that I got from it: "To provide rural youth an opportunity for discussion of methods for developing ideals and standards for farming, homemaking, family and community life, citizenship, and how to mobilize the energies of youth so that they may solve the problem of peace."

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Kintner and daughter Wanda spent the Christmas holidays visiting relatives in Marcelline, Mo. He is a machinist at the local shops.

Henry Heise, machinist spent a few days the latter part of December visiting his father in Topeka, Kas.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Baslee are spending a few days visiting relatives in Kansas City. Mr. Baslee is a boiler helper at the local shops.

The following Missouri Pacific passenger equipment was released from the local passenger car shops after receiving repairs: Diner 10234, coach 6570, 6322 and 6317, rebuilds, Diner 10050 Pass Bag 2060, coach 6107 general repairs. Bag-Pass 3607 also received a rebuild.

C. R. Kilbury, shop superintendent, was a business visitor in St. Louis on Thursday of last week.

L. C. Bryson, machinist, and vice-president of the Machinists for the System, has resumed his duties after making an extend visit over the system on business in the place of Mr. Keller, off on vacation.

Miss Betty Yvonne Ellsworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ellsworth, returned to her home Friday after spending the past week visiting relatives in Jefferson City. Mr. Ellsworth is clerk in the Production Department at the local shops.

W. B. Eastham, pipefitter, is taking a two weeks vacation and will spend a few days visiting his daughter near Cincinnati, O.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Karle spent the Christmas holidays visiting relatives in Kansas City. He is a machinist at the local shops.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnson spent Christmas holidays visiting their parents in Osawatomie, Kas. He is a special apprentice at the local shops.

L. D. Hennis, coach carpenter apprentice, spent the Christmas holidays visiting his parents in Osawatomie, Kas.

Missouri Pacific locomotives 152 and 1513 were released for service last week after undergoing general overhauling at the local shops.

J. F. Witte, sheetmetal worker, R. P. Coats and Billy Smith, machinist apprentices, left Jan. 3rd for Ft. Leavenworth, Kas., for induction into the army.

C. R. Shirley, pipefitter welder, is taking a two weeks vacation.

H. B. Solomon, electrician helper, who has been off duty the past three weeks on account of illness, is getting along satisfactory and expects to return to work Monday the 7th.

Lacy Howe, painter helper, last week entered the company hospital in St. Louis for medical treatment.

Fined On Two Traffic Cases

George L. Jones, 1323 East Fifteenth street, pleaded guilty in police court Monday on a charge of careless and reckless driving and was fined \$25 by Judge C. W. Bente. He then pleaded guilty to driving a motorcycle without a driver's license and was fined one dollar and costs by Judge Bente sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace.

Jones was driving a 1936 Chevrolet sedan, headed east on Broadway, and his car and a car driven by Cecil Curtis, 2222 South Missouri avenue, collided at Broadway and New York avenue. Curtis when the accident occurred shortly after midnight Sunday morning.

Shop With Small Forge And Tools Big Farm Help



A WELL-EQUIPPED FARM SHOP SAVES TIME AND MONEY

A shop equipped with a small forge, hand drill and similar tools may well be one of the farm's most important service buildings. Winter work in such a shop can be very profitable, say the agricultural engineers at the University of Missouri. Winter inspection and repair of farm machinery will save money and machines and it will save much valuable time in the rush of spring and summer.

The tractor, combine or binder, mower, drill, plows and smaller machines should be inspected thoroughly. All worn or broken parts should be replaced. Working parts subject to rust should be cleaned and oiled or greased. On some equipment, cleaning and painting will both pay good returns in longer usefulness.

The man who is handy with forge and drill can often make repairs that will take the place of spare parts that are no longer obtainable. Parts that are needed and still on manufacturers' lists should be ordered just as early as possible if the local dealer does not have them in stock.

Getting machines in top working order and protecting them from rust and weathering is a good way to sell winter work at a right good price. The shop need not be fancy or expensive—just so it is well lighter, fairly warm, and equipped with a few of the essential tools for repair work.

Fertilizing Steps Up Corn Yield

Four fertilizer demonstrations conducted last year and in 1944 showed that fertilizer on corn land brings about a definite increase in shelling percentage of the crop and a boost in yield. This is the report of Arnold W. Klemme of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture.

The shelling percentage moved up from a mark of 79 per cent on the unfertilized plots to 83 per cent on the fertilized ones, making a net gain of 4%. This would mean that a 1000-bushel crib of ear corn grown on fertilized soil would shell out about 40 bushels more corn than a similar crop of corn from non-fertilized land.

A probable explanation of this increase, says Mr. Klemme, is that untreated soil may have sufficient fertility to meet the needs for the vegetative growth of the plant including cob growth, but such soils often do not have enough fertility to form grain fully, the grain being manufactured last.

The tests, run on four different soils using the same hybrid in each, also showed an average increase in yield of 14 bushels of ear corn per acre where fertilizer was used.

John Youngkamp In Short Course

One of the seventeen young men from sixteen counties in Missouri who attended the short course for 4-H machinery project leaders at the University of Missouri from December 19-22, was John Youngkamp of Beaman.

Mr. Youngkamp reports that the instruction included laboratory work, lectures, chart study, slide films, and motion pictures on the subjects of engine and tractor lubrication, care of tractors, ignition system maintenance, and the inspection of mowers, plows, planters, and combines for repairs and adjustments.

The four-day intensive training course was given at the agricultural engineering buildings of the College of Agriculture and was under the direction of Prof. Mark M. Jones.

The men who attended the school had been recommended by the county extension agents and approved by the faculty. Each of the men has recognized mechanical ability and will help with 4-H machinery maintenance projects in his home community or county next year.

Coy Forrest Brown Home

S/Sgt. Coy Forrest Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown, RFD 4, whose wife resides at 200 South Washington avenue, has arrived in Sedalia after service in the European theater of war since last August, during which he was wounded twice, and a total of three years and three months in the army. He received his discharge at Jefferson Barracks.

Has Army Discharge

T/5 Ernest W. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown, has received his army discharge after three years and seven months service and returned home. Overseas 23 months with the 47th general hospital in the Asiatic-Pacific theater, he worked in the medical ward, administering medicine, giving emergency treatment and preparing patients for operations.

Prodigy

Thomas Young, physician and scientist, born in the 18th century, read the Bible twice before his fourth birthday, and could read several foreign languages at the age of eight.

Stretch Farm Labor To Meet Rush Season

Winter has its schedule of farm work that is no less important than the operations of spring and summer. And the proper management of jobs that may be done in the winter will do a lot toward helping the scarce supply of farm labor stretch to meet demands of the rush seasons later on, says J. U. Morris, county extension agent.

On livestock farms, construction of self feeders, feed bunks, troughs, bins, and similar equipment will save feed and labor. Building movable farrowing houses and rearranging fences to permit raising spring pigs on clean ground will help control parasites and put more pork on the market with less feed.

Keeping clean dry bedding in barns and sheds takes time all winter, but will help keep down death losses from disease and parasites. Doing this will result in healthier, more vigorous stock which will gain faster on the feed available.

Installing pumping facilities, building fenced ponds with water piped to tanks, and rearranging field and pasture fences to give convenient access to stock water will save hours of time and labor and increase the income per hour of labor.

For Better Milk

On the dairy farm, many improvements can be made to increase the quantity and improve the quality of milk produced. Building a milk house and milk cooler, painting and whitewashing buildings, putting a straw loft and wooden stanchions in the calf barn, building tank heaters and keeping them in operation during cold winter months will save time and increase production.

Poultry and egg production can be increased substantially on many farms by building more feeders and putting in sanitary water stands. Partitions in laying houses to separate pullets from old hens will be profitable. It will pay to construct summer range shelters, and to get brooding equipment ready for the spring rush.

Many steps can be taken this winter to insure higher soil fertility and high crop yields next year. Manure and stack bottoms can be hauled and spread on fields this winter. Lime and fertilizer can be applied on pasture land and disked into the soil when conditions are suitable. Pastures may be cleared of brush stones and other obstacles which interfere with mowing. And then they may be reseeded with legume and grass seed.

And, as everybody knows, winter is the best time to check over all the farm machinery and field implements and to get them in the best possible condition for the work of the busy production season ahead.

Feed Store Entered

The Ivan Berry Feed Store, 219 West Main street, was entered sometime early Sunday morning, or late Saturday night by someone who as far as a present check has determined, didn't get anything.

Entrance to the place was gained by breaking a glass in a transom over a west door. The intruder, upon leaving, left the place unlocked.

Relatives of Ray Inselman Are Concerned

Have Heard Nothing From Him Since Last September

No letters from Pvt. Ray Inselman, stationed in Germany when last heard from by relatives in Sedalia and vicinity, have been received since September and relatives are anxious concerning his welfare. He is the husband of Mrs. Velma Inselman of Windsor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Inselman of Green Ridge and grandson of Mrs. Roe Smith, 318 E. Seventh street. The 19-year-old soldier has two sisters, Alberta Nell and Jean Inselman.



Pvt. Inselman

Pvt. Inselman attended Green Ridge school and entered military service two years ago in November. He had been stationed in Europe a year last September.

The following letter is quoted which he wrote from Germany last June 22 to his grandmother, who reared him:

"Dear Grandma and All
Hello, Mom. I guess you know who I am calling Mom, don't you? I am calling you Mom, because you are just like a mother to me. I miss your cooking and washing for me and all the things you have done for me. Yes, when I come home on a furlough, I will spend it with you.

Gone Far Enough
"Mom, I'm not the boy you used to see come home all the time. I have changed quite a bit. I'm not the run-around type like I used to be. I am quiet. I don't care about going anywhere—for my age I think I have been far enough, don't you?"

"I am glad K. Gregory got to come home. I sure wish I could. I know I am going to the South Pacific. Maybe I will get to come home first, I don't know. The war is a pretty bad thing—just one mistake and you can lose your life. Before you do anything you think twice, and then you will think again before you do it. My points are pretty low. I have 45, so you see what chance I have of getting out very quick.

"I have one battle star. I saw six months' combat. We didn't have a rest so you can imagine how tired I am. I was in on the big push on Munich—that is where the German capital was. Boy! That was some fight! I will never forget the fighting I did in this war and I am sure the rest of the boys feel the same. We also fought in France. I think the Germans learned their lesson. Thirteen of us captured 150 in one week. Well, Mom, I guess I had better close for this time.

"Loving you all, your son,
"Ray E. Inselman."

Three Cars Figure In A Collision

State Patrolman Pete Stohr reported an accident one-fourth mile east of the Junction of highways 50 and 58 at 6 o'clock Friday evening in which Allen Williams, of Sedalia, passenger and owner of one of the three cars involved, received contusions about the face and head.

Charges of careless and reckless driving were filed against James Hood of 615 West Second street, Sedalia, driver of a 1939 Chrysler sedan which collided with an oncoming car driven by Charles Sullens of Kansas City, when he attempted to pass a gasoline transport truck owned by the Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., driven by Basil Slaughman of Gashland, Mo. Hood, who with Allen Williams was returning from Kansas City, said that he did not think an oncoming car was as close as it was, but it then ploughed into the truck which was along-side of his machine. Williams' car was said to be completely demolished and the body of Sullens car was badly torn up. Damages to the truck was estimated at \$10.

James Hood is to appear in court of Judge McDonald at Warrensburg, Monday.

Express to Slow Freight

When a paratrooper transfers from a plane to a parachute, his speed, within a few seconds, slows down from about 200 miles an hour to about 15.

World's Oldest Book

The world's oldest book is said to be a tome in China. It consists of 78 wooden leaves, fixed together with string, and dates back to 160 B. C.

Major Blake is Case Witness

In reporting police court activities, Thursday, it was stated Major Lynn Blake, 309 West Seventh street, was charged with careless and reckless driving. This should have appeared that Major Blake was a witness in the case against Warrant Officer Michael Doherty, of the Sedalia Army Air Field.

The car is owned by Lt. Col. Tobiason.

Mrs. Stanley Tobiason, wife of Lt. Col. Tobiason, was severely injured. She was taken to Research hospital in Kansas City where X-ray pictures were taken and she received treatment. She returned to her home here in Sedalia at 1413 West Broadway, Thursday evening, by private automobile and is very much improved.

Mrs. Tobiason, is a former U. S. Army nurse, was captured by the Germans in 1944 when a transport evacuation plane, on which she was a flight nurse, was shot down. She was returned to Allied military authority in an exchange of prisoners early in 1945 and was released from service last summer.

Lt. Col. Tobiason is a pilot and stationed at the SAAF.

Rebecca Officers Installed Friday

Officers of Loyal Rebecca Lodge 260 were installed by the district deputy, Mrs. Carrie Gilkey, of Sedalia, at the regular meeting Friday night at the Woodman-Maccabee hall.

The 1946 officers are:

Mrs. Olive Bush, noble grand; Mrs. Sue Hood, vice noble grand; Mrs. Pauline Fulton, warden; Mrs. Lydia Starkey, conductress; Mrs. Carrie Gilkey, recording secretary; Mrs. Lizzie Edwards, financial secretary; Miss Margaret Starkey, treasurer; Mrs. E. D. Sutherland, chaplain.

Mrs. Mary Strickler, right supporter to the noble grand; Mrs. Dora Buckley, left supporter to the noble grand; Mrs. Alice Johnson, right supporter to the vice grand; Mrs. Jessie Bishop, left supporter to the vice grand; Mrs. Zephia Baldwin, inside guardian; Mrs. Louisa Guyman, outside guardian; Mrs. Nadine Reed, right supporter to the chaplain; Mrs. Edith Barnes, left supporter to the chaplain; Mrs. Bessie Bryan, right supporter to the past grand; Mrs. Mary Gibbs, left supporter to the past grand; Mrs. Lyla Gregory, color-bearer; Mrs. Emma Harbit, musician.

Mrs. Lela McGraw was seated as post noble grand and was presented the jewel of her office.

Committees were appointed to serve for the coming year.

After lodge a social time was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Club Honors Servicemen

Stockley Extension club gave a supper New Year's eve honoring returned servicemen of the community and men still in service on furlough. Honor guests were Eldon Eicholz, Lorenz Bolton, and Elmer Lee Patterson, who have been discharged from service, Billy Williams of the navy and Wesley Fisher of the army.

After the supper, served at 7:15 p. m., Mrs. Ballew was presented a table centerpiece from the club members and the following program was presented:

Speeches by Roberta Hall, Lorraine Clark, Ann Faulkner, Danny Ray Elwell, Danny Burke Curtis and Jenny Kindler; music by Norma Jean Burfield, Mildred Kindler and Evelyn Smith. Lillian Colwell, 4-H leader, presented her club members who sang the club song and gave the club yell.

Marion Lee Hall and Billy Elwell were presented \$1 checks and ribbons for fine work done the past year, after which the program was concluded with game playing.

The club will meet February 5 at the home of Mrs. D. J. Harrison.

Charge Having Inadequate Brakes

C. C. Hatch of Cherity, Mo., was charged with having inadequate brakes on his 1940 Willis pick-up truck, and is to appear in court of Justice A. M. Harlan Tuesday as a result of an accident at 12:15 o'clock Friday one half mile west of Sedalia on Highway 50. His machine collided with a truck owned by the Dr. Pepper Bottling Co., of Sedalia and driven by Elmer Lane, of 514 East Saline street when he attempted to pass the truck the driver of which signaled for a left turn. Hatch said that he did not see the signal. No one was hurt and damages were estimated as being \$10 to the Hatch machine and \$50 to the truck.

Weighty Stone

Largest hewn stones in the world are to be found in a ruined temple at Baalbec, Syria. One stone weighs 150 tons and measures 69 feet long, 14 feet wide and 17 feet thick.

Daniel E. Ryan Dies Of Burns On Honshu Isle

Word Received By Parents In Kansas City On Friday

Word received from the adjutant general, Washington, D. C. Friday, told of the death of Pvt. Daniel E. Ryan, known as "Danny", son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel R. Ryan, 6136 Kenwood, Kansas City, on December 5, at Honshu, the man Japanese island.

Pvt. Ryan suffered burns from a fire in his quarters and subsequent death from the effects.

Daniel E. Ryan was born in Sedalia February 12, 1926, later moving to Kansas City with his parents. He was a graduate of Assumption grade school and DeLaSalle military academy, Kansas City, belonging to St. Peter's Catholic church, Meyer boulevard and Holmes avenue, Kansas City was an officer and active member of the Catholic Youth Council, at De La Salle a staff sergeant of the student military corps, class officer and member of the football team.

He enlisted in the army July 10, 1944, at Fort Leavenworth, becoming a member of the Paratroopers 11th Airborne division. He left for overseas early in October, 1945.

Prior to his departure for Japan he participated in a national war bond campaign, where 32 paratroopers gave exhibitions. For this service he received a citation from Henry Morgenthau, then secretary of the treasury. He was with a group that gave an exhibition at the Sedalia Army Air Field during that period, but did not make a jump here that day.

His father is a veteran of World War I.

Surviving besides his parents, his mother the former Miss Marie McGurran, are a brother John R. Ryan, seaman first-class, on the pier at Chicago, one of the few survivors of the U. S. Callaghan, destroyed by the Japanese July 29, 1945, and a sister, Barbara Ann, a sophomore at St. Teresa's Academy, Kansas City. He also leaves an aunt, Miss Blanche McGurran, his grandfather, Edward C. McGurran, of the Kenwood address in Kansas City. Miss Kate Kelly, 410 East Third street, Sedalia, is a great aunt. An uncle, Joe Ryan, 308 South Grand avenue, Mrs. Ryan, and their daughter, Carolyn, went to Kansas City Saturday.

Pvt. Ryan's cousin, Daniel McGurran, son of Mrs. Elizabeth McGurran, 236 South Montauque avenue, was killed in a plane crash, while in training in a camp in Texas on April 7, 1943.

The rosary will be recited at the Ryan home, in Kansas City, by the Right Rev. James N. V. McKay, pastor of St. Peter's church, members of the family, and friends, tonight. Monsignor McGurran will celebrate a Memorial mass at his church at 9:00 o'clock Monday morning.

Robert Smallwood Returning to States

Robert Smallwood, 506 East Tenth street, have received word that their son, Robert Smallwood, whose wife resides in Atchison, Kas., will arrive in the states next week after two years overseas in the South Pacific. He has been in service three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Smallwood have another son, James Smallwood, 903 South Montauque avenue, who received his discharge recently and is now home after twenty-six months in service, eighteen of which was spent in the South Pacific.

Wide Open Spaces

In the United States 47,000,000 people live in two-tenths of one per cent of the total land area, and 75,000,000 on the remaining ninety-nine and eight-tenths per cent.

What Is Sand?

Sand grains can have diameters of no more than 1.5 millimeters and no less than .05 millimeter. Rock particles above this limit is classed as silt or clay.

Wed In Texas



Mrs. Willie Ricketts, the former Miss Charlene Schwensen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Schwensen, Jr., of Mora, who was married to A. S. Ricketts in San Marcos, Tex., July 7, 1945. A. S. Ricketts is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Ricketts of Haskell, Okla.

Air Medal To Ensign Hall

Ensign Floyd Ewing Hall, U. S. N. R., son of Edward F. Hall, 666 East Thirteenth street, has merited the Air Medal, according to information from headquarters of the Ninth Naval district, Great Lakes, Ill., by virtue of service from which he did not return as set forth in the following citation:

"For meritorious achievement in aerial flight as pilot of a Torpedo bomber in Torpedo Squadron Twelve, attached to the U. S. S. Randolph, during action against enemy Japanese forces in the Bonin Islands area on February 18, 1945. A skilled and intrepid airman, Ensign Hall boldly flew in over the target area in daring defiance of the enemy's concentrated anti-aircraft fire and, skillfully maneuvering for maximum striking power, pressed home a brilliantly executed glide-bombing attack against the enemy to assist in the damaging of a vital airship harbor. His superb airship, daring tactics and zealous devotion to duty in the face of grave danger were essential factors in the success of our aerial offensive against the Japanese and reflect the highest credit upon Ensign Hall and the United States naval service."

Hall has been listed officially as "missing in action" since the February 18 attack.

G. L. McElroy, MKT Auditor, Has Retired

Friends Present Him With 20 Gauge Shot Gun

George L. McElroy, 412 East Sixth street, who since March 1, 1931, has been traveling auditor for the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad, for which company he was employed forty-five years, retired on January 1.

While in St. Louis on Friday, December 28, Mr. McElroy was presented with an order, or check, for a 20 gauge automatic shot gun with a card reading: "In token of sincere appreciation of many years of pleasant association with you, from immediate associates in the accounting department at St. Louis and Parsons."

Mr. McElroy was born in Sedalia on August 13, 1880 and grew to young manhood here. He went to work for the M-K-T on September 26, 1899 and was employed as crew caller at Franklin Junction, Mo. On December 1, 1900 he took a leave of absence and attended school in St. Louis and returned to work as road-master's clerk at Franklin Junction on December 16, 1901.

Transferred

On August 1, 1903 he was transferred to the superintendent's office, Franklin Junction, as road clerk timekeeper. He was promoted to timekeeper (handling time of trainmen and yardmen) in the superintendent's office at Franklin Junction on January 1, 1904; was transferred to Sedalia as trainman's timekeeper on September 10, 1910, when the superintendent's office moved to Sedalia. On April 1, 1914 he was promoted to division accountant, also working as joint facility accountant. He was changed to district accountant, superintendent's office at Sedalia on December 1, 1919 and on September 16, 1922 resigned to go into other business.

On August 1, 1923 he re-entered the service in the auditor's office in St. Louis as traveling inventory accountant, later changing to traveling joint facility accountant. On March 1, 1924 he was transferred to department personnel at St. Louis, as traveling time accountant and on March 1, 1931, was transferred to the accounting department at St. Louis as traveling auditor, from which he has just retired under the railroad retirement act of 1937.

Recognize SS Board Service

A meeting for presentation of the Congressional Medal and Certificate to Selective Service board members, Appeal board members and Government Appeal agents who have served two years or more in the Selective Service system as of August 31, 1945, will be held in Jefferson City January 25 at 1:30 p. m. Those from Sedalia eligible for the award are George Wilkerson, H. C. Feuers, George H. Trader and E. P. Mullaley, members of the local Selective Service board, C. R. Bothwell a former member, and Henry C. Salveter, appeal agent.

The Hon. Phil M. Donnelly, governor of Missouri, will personally present each medal.

Births

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. James McPatrick of Smithton, at 3:59 p. m. Saturday at the Bothwell hospital. The infant weighed seven pounds, 15 ounces.

175 Delegates At Conference Here Friday

J. C. Longan Is Chosen To Lead Meeting Next Year

The twenty-second annual Clover and Prosperity conference held Friday at the First M. E. church, Sedalia, was well attended and held the interest of the 175 delegates throughout the entire program.

The guest speaker on the afternoon program was Arnold W. Klemme, extension specialist in soils from the University of Missouri. Mr. Klemme had as his topic "Factors to be Considered in Post-War Farming Operations in Pettis County." He used picture-slides to assist him in his talks.

In considering the factors which enter into farming operations now, Mr. Klemme stressed the need of fertilizers of the right amounts and the proper balance in order to obtain increased yields and also maintain the fertility level. The speaker pointed out that the land is being depleted of its organic matter and other nutrients and that action must be taken. He went on to say that the food which is produced is only as good as the soil on which it was grown and that in a number of cases livestock disorders are the result of feeding grain and roughage which have grown on soil that lacked a proper balance of nutrients. In isolated cases the abnormal conditions have also appeared in man.

Added Responsibility

Mr. Klemme told farmers that their practice of liming was necessary but that it also placed an added responsibility on the farmer who applies it to his land. Every acre which is limed should be replenished with organic matter and this can best be done by following the lime with a legume.

Mr. Klemme pointed out that there were certain necessary fundamentals in conserving our land. We must learn to use our land to produce the things we need and still have good land. Success depends 10% on the land, 90% on the man. It takes fertility to get good cover that will hold soil losses to a minimum.

In looking back a number of years Klemme pointed out that much progress has been made by farmers as well as other people and that more progress was on the way but that these new improvements and conveniences must be paid for with products which come from the land and that this could best be accomplished by a balanced system of farming in which the entire farm was taken into consideration.

J. U. Morris Speaks

J. U. Morris, County Extension Agent, discussed briefly "Our Job Ahead." He said that our job ahead is to do a still better job of farming to keep agriculture in the place where it belongs. He pointed out that farmers have produced more per person in the past year than ever before and that again this year much will be expected of them with a limited amount of additional labor saving machinery. In considering some things which have been done in Pettis county, Mr. Morris pointed out that approximately 75,000 tons of limestone had been applied to Pettis county land in the last five years but that we are now using only about 10% of the fertilizer necessary to replace the plant food we take out of the soil each year.

Mr. Morris told of the need of farm planning to chart our course in order to know where we are going in the years ahead. He said that such a plan must be a farmer's plan and that assistance in putting such a plan into operation will come from the extension staff. He stressed the need of adapting the cropping system to the livestock program on the individual farm, and also the necessity of arranging the fields so that a system of sanitation can be carried out by rotating the pasture areas. In closing Mr. Morris told farmers of their responsibility to farm youth and of the necessity of leaving them not only the land but also the soil.

Resolutions

The Resolutions Committee consisting of Olen Monsees, chairman, Isaac Snow; and Stevens McClure presented the following resolutions which were adopted by the conference delegates.

I. Be It Resolved by the delegates at the 22nd Annual Clover and Prosperity Conference that it extend a vote of thanks to the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce for its fine cooperation in furthering the agricultural interests of Pettis county.

II. Be It Resolved that a vote of thanks be extended to the ladies of the First Methodist Church of Sedalia for the splendid luncheon served at the 22nd Annual Clover and Prosperity Conference.

III. Whereas surveys on insect population indicate a heavy infestation of insects, especially chinch bugs, Be It Resolved that previously existing committees, both county and state, be renewed and, if necessary, reorganized to cooperate with state and federal authorities to limit and control the damage which may result from this threat.

IV. Whereas Noxious weeds, especially bindweed, are growing in Pettis county, Be It Resolved that the Clover and Prosperity Conference delegates support the pro-

Chief of Staff



JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. Jan. 5—(AP)—Col. Thomas R. Yancey, above former assistant chief of staff, G-2, for the Fifth amphibious corps, has been named chief of staff and executive officer of the First Infantry Brigade, Missouri State Guard.

The announcement of Colonel Yancey's appointment was made today by Brig. Gen. Harry H. Gambrel.

Yancey, a native of Marshall, Mo., assumed office Jan. 1. He and his wife will make their home in Jefferson City.

Yancey, at one time social science teacher at Smith-Cotton high school, is shown above being decorated with the Legion of Merit for meritorious conduct on Iwo Jima, where he served on the staff of Marine Major General Harry Schmidt's Amphibious Corps.

Three Teams Undeclared In PCAA League

Stover, Warsaw And Cole Camp Tied Up For First Place

The fight for the lead in PCAA High School Basketball League as of January 1st resulted in a tie for first place between the Cole Camp, Warsaw and Stover teams, none of which teams having as yet suffered defeat in conference competition.

Cole Camp has produced the most potent offense and the best defense, however, followed closely by Warsaw. Hughesville is in 2nd place with four wins and one loss followed by Green Ridge, which team has won 3 and lost 2. The leaders have not met as yet.

In the girls volleyball competition Stover and Cole Camp are tied for the lead with 4 wins and no losses while Hughesville is in 2nd place with 4 wins and 1 lost. Smithton and Lincoln have broken even in their games to date, to tie for 3rd place.

gram being carried out by the Weed Control Committee.

Appreciation For Program

V. Whereas the Clover and Prosperity Conference is the longest established and best supported of any farm meetings as evidenced by the splendid attendance at this the 22nd annual meeting, and that this conference for 22 years has held the interest of both farm leaders and businessmen by its splendid programs it has presented, this year's program is no departure from the records of the past years; therefore, Be It Resolved that a vote of thanks be extended to every person who appeared on, or assisted in preparation of this program.

VI. Be It Resolved that we commend our Extension Agents for their splendid work, not only in soil conservation, but to the other programs that have been so beneficial to Pettis county agriculture.

VII. Be It Resolved that the Clover and Prosperity Conference delegates pledge themselves to follow such practices and management as will result in efficient production of the food and fiber need in meeting the county postwar needs.

VIII. Whereas the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce is demonstrating its interest in promoting balanced systems of farming in Pettis county by providing funds to employ a trained man for helping farmers in working out such plans, Be It Resolved that this conference extend its whole-hearted approval and thanks.

Resolution Of Sympathy

IX. Whereas Judge J. L. McCurdy has long been an outstanding citizen and farmer and always gave loyal support to sound agricultural programs, Be It Resolved that the delegates assembled in the 22nd annual Clover and Prosperity Conference extend a vote of sympathy to his family.

X. Be It Resolved that copies of these resolutions be sent to the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce, the press, and spread on the minutes of this conference.

Next Year's Leaders

The nominating committee composed of John Sneed, chairman; George R. Wilkerson; and Jack Monroe presented nominees for next year's conference. The officers unanimously elected to head the conference in 1947 are: J. C. Longan, chairman; Jas. Harvey, vice-chairman; Bruce Claycomb, secretary; and Marion Goodwin, registrar.

Club Meets at Jenkins Home

The Longwood Extension club held its meeting January 1 at the home of Mrs. Joe K. Jenkins. A contributed luncheon was served cafeteria style. The meeting was called to order by Miss Elizabeth Scott, the president. Mrs. Raymond Hurt led in singing "Auld Lang Syne." Roll call was answered with "What I Hope to Accomplish This Year." Mrs. Virgil Ellis read a poem. Mrs. Joe Jenkins gave a health report on blood plasma. Misses Mary Helen and Frances Meyer sang two duets, "Lilac Tree" and "The Way to Spell Chicken." The Standard of Achievement for 1945 was read. The year books were filled out. The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. Lewis Hammond, Jr., and the singing of the benediction.

A wedding gift of goblets in the Rose Point pattern was presented to Mrs. Frank W. Metheny who was formally Miss Christine Leftwich.

Miss Meyer conducted a game, "Boots."

Members present were: Mrs. Ella Phillips, Mrs. R. C. Ardinger, Mrs. Pam Grinstead, Mrs. John Greer, Mrs. Lottie Baker, Mrs. David Powell, Mrs. Raymond Hurt, Mrs. Lewis Hammond, Jr., Mrs. Joe Jenkins and Miss Elizabeth Scott.

Visitors were: Mrs. Frank Meyer, Misses Mary Helen and Frances Meyer, Mrs. Roy Anderson, Mrs. Albert Anderson and son, Mrs. Lewis Hammond and daughter, Shirley, Mrs. Lois Reece, Mrs. J. W. Greer, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ellis and son Barry Wayne, and R. C. Ardinger.

The February meeting will be held with Mrs. R. C. Ardinger, February 5, at 1 p. m.

Hughesville Wins Three Games Friday

The Hughesville basketball and volleyball teams won all three of the games played with the Houstonia high school on the Houstonia court, Friday, January 4.

The Hughesville grade team won the grade school game by a score of 26 to 2 with Thomason and Conway making 10 and 5 points respectively. In the volleyball game the Houstonia high school team was defeated by a score of 32 to 19. McCarty was high server with 11 points.

In the final game of the evening the Hughesville high school basketball team overcame an 8 point Houstonia lead to win in an over-time period by a score of 32 to 28. Phillips was high point man for Hughesville with 14 points, while Smith scored 12 for Houstonia.

The next bus did not leave until 5:30. The alternative was being AWOL. So a member of the Red Cross Motor Corps was contacted. She did not hesitate, did not ask any questions. She agreed to take the boy to the base and to go at once.

Incidentally, there was rather a large amount of surgical dressings that were needed at the station hospital. Two birds were neatly killed with one stone, as the young soldier willingly took the dressings to the home of the Motor Corps volunteer, and they too were taken to the base. We did not mention names in the Red Cross column, but this story should be of interest to all of us, since it shows that the work of the Red Cross Volunteer Services is being projected into the post war period, and that servicemen still look upon ARC as being "at their side."

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Payne Settle in Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Davis, RFD 2, Sedalia, received a telephone message Wednesday evening from their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Payne, stating they had arrived in Dallas, Tex., to make their home.

Mr. Payne, who received his discharge from military service the latter part of November, having served 23 months in the European theater of operations as a member of the 39th Machine Records units with the Third Army, has accepted a position with the war department in Dallas.

Balsa, the lightest wood known, has about half the strength of the best spruce.

Has 2-Headed Baby



Mrs. Joseph Govro, 21-year-old British girl who gave birth to a two-headed baby at Birmingham, England, on Jan. 1 is pictured above. The baby died two days after birth. She is the wife of former Pfc. Joseph Govro, who lives on a farm near Festus, Mo.

W. H. Roberts Purchases Hotel Property

Operates Grocery Store In Part Of Building Sold

The St. Francis Hotel property, Third street and Lamine avenue, which was placed on the "block" Saturday was purchased by W. Howard Roberts, owner of the Howard Roberts grocery, 118 East Third street. Mr. Roberts' bid was the highest and the purchase price was \$26,000. The sale was made at the court house about 2:15 o'clock by Deputy Sheriff Ernest Byer, who handled the proceedings for Sheriff E. W. Goetz, unable to be present.

A partition suit had been previously filed in circuit court by note holders on the property and a court order was made by the court for the sale of the building. James I. Riley, 1432 South Carr avenue, was also a bidder on the property.

The bidding started off at \$15,000, jumped to \$20,000 then to \$21,000. From then on the bidders offered \$100 each time they made a bid, then dropped to \$50 bidding until it reached \$26,000. At this point Mr. Roberts offered the \$26,000 and when bidding stopped he was the purchaser.

Mr. Roberts stated he purchased the property as an investment, as the building he occupies is part of the property, and so that he might continue in business at the present location. Mr. Roberts has had his main store at the present location for a number of years and desired to continue here due to the fact that his customers were well acquainted with the location.

Witness Weeps As he Tells of Death March

Squatters in Cemetery in City of Manila

By Hal Boyle

MANILA, Jan. 10.—(P)—A slender young Filipino captain — a man the Japanese could not kill — today confronted in a war crimes trial courtroom the commander accused of responsibility for Bataan death march atrocities, Lt. Gen. Masaharu Homma.

At a judge's order, Capt. Pedro L. Felix, one of only two survivors of the massacre of 400 Filipino officers, peeled off his shirt and exposed his bare back.

Spectators gasped. Homma's bushy brows knitted as his black eyes saw four dark spots in the center of the young captain's back. Then he looked away.

The spots were scars left by four bayonet thrusts in April of 1942 when Japanese guards lined up 400 Filipino officers and non-coms at the edge of a ravine and beheaded or bayoneted them. Felix said the order to kill them was personally given by General Nara, a subordinate of Homma.

Wept as he Testified

T/ Sgt. Horace M. Clark of Salisbury, Md., said a Japanese officer — enraged because an American soldier collapsed and could not regain his feet — hacked off the prostrate man's head with two sword strokes.

Col. John H. Ball of Williamsport, Pa., wept as he described "Death March" scenes. Wiping tears from his eyes, he told how a Japanese guard bayoneted a delirious Filipino who had flung himself down to drink ditch water.

"This Filipino made a noise you can't forget — like a baby crying," said the officer. "There are many things about that march your mind wants to forget — and can't."

Community News from Stover

By MRS. F. J. KRAXBERGER

Mr. and Mrs. Leo H. Fischer accompanied Walter Fischer to Savannah, Mo., Wednesday. Mrs. Walter Fischer returned home with them after spending four weeks at the Dr. Nichols Sanatorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Schwensen, Jr., announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Charlene, to a/s Willie Ricketts, at San Marcos, Tex., on July 7, 1945. Mr. Ricketts is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Ricketts of Haskell, Okla. Mrs. Charles Schwensen is a former Stover girl being formerly Miss Olga Roiter.

R. L. Viebrock was honored Sunday at high noon with a surprise dinner by the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nolting and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holsten and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kroschens, Mrs. Bertha Hagenah, Miss Margaret Merriott and Edgar Witte, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Viebrock and daughter Miss Emmogene Viebrock.

Ed Koester became seriously ill Friday and after local consultation was rushed to the Veterans hospital at Wadsworth, Kansas, where he was operated on immediately. His condition is fair. Mrs. Koester and the latter's brother, Henry Henning, accompanied Mr. Koester and Gene Allee in the ambulance to the hospital.

Miss Irene Fischer left last week for Illinois for a short visit with friends.

Miss Maureen Kipp, of Kansas City, is visiting her parents and sister here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boatner, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bauer, spent Friday evening in Versailles visiting Miss Luenda Bauer and Miss Bertha Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meisner, Mr. and Mrs. Ed H. Kipp, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Kraxberger and son were dinner guests in the O. J. Fajen home Tuesday at 6 p. m.

Petty Officer Joy Scott, of the U. S. Navy, spent the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Walker Scott.

Cpl. Fern D. Kipp, of Camp Edwards Massachusetts, is home on a twenty day furlough. She is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed H. Kipp.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cossart entertained with a steak fry dinner Wednesday evening the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Mancel Gehrs and daughters of Versailles, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Scrivner and daughter, Miss Shirley, Ann Scrivner, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meisner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lumas Gehrs were business visitors in Kansas City Friday.

Mrs. Fritz Kraxberger was called to the bedside of her father, Stanley Imen, Sunday evening. He resides north of Versailles.

Mrs. Cord Gerken of Cole Camp was a visitor here Saturday in the Ed Moellman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kraxberger and son of Sedalia spent Sunday here in the F. J. Kraxberger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fajen had as guests Sunday evening at dinner: Rev. and Mrs. T. C. Schedler and family, Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Hertzwig, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Parker and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lumas Gehrs and son, Mrs. Minnie Fajen and Carrol Welp.

OBITUARIES

N. A. Silsby Service

Funeral services for Nathaniel Austin Silsby, who died at his home, 2201 East Tenth street, Monday evening will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the McLaughlin funeral chapel with Rev. Ralph Emerson Hurd, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, to officiate.

Mrs. Ethel Withers, and R. H. Robb, accompanied by Mrs. Ed Ringen sang "Rock of Ages," "Beulah Land, Precious Memories."

Palbearers will be S. W. Welch, Lloyd Waters, Walter Banning, Charlie Watson, Harry Zimmer-schied and Harry Terrell.

Burial will be in the Smithton cemetery.

P. H. Bockelman Service

Funeral services for P. H. Bockelman, RFD, Cole Camp, who died at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, will be held at the St. Paul's Lutheran church in Cole Camp at 2 o'clock this afternoon, with Rev. H. Renz, pastor of the church, to officiate. A short service at the Eickhoff funeral home at 1:30 o'clock will precede the services at the church.

Palbearers will be: Alvin Behrens, Otto Beckman, Elmer T. Heimsaugh, Mike Bahrenburg, Amon Bahrenburg and Oliver Bockelman.

Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery in Cole Camp.

Claus M. Brandt

Claus M. Brandt, 83 years old, died suddenly of a heart attack at his home in Valley City, north of Knob Noster, about 8:30 p. m. Saturday.

He was born near Concordia October 20, 1862, the son of Henry and Alida Brandt, and spent his early life there. October 19, 1892, he was married to Miss Tillie Ada Hoffman and after three years spent in Wichita, Kas., returned to Missouri to reside south of Concordia several years. His past 36 years were spent in the vicinity of Knob Noster.

Surviving are his wife and three children, Adrain Brandt of Wrensburg, Mrs. John (Lillian) Egner of Independence, and Wordeman Brandt of Wellington, Kas.; four brothers, Henry Brandt of Concordia, William Brandt of Marshall, Frank Brandt of Dunksburg and Edward Brandt of Keensburg, Colo., and one sister, Mrs. Lena Habekost of Windsor. He is also survived by ten grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the Baptist church in Knob Noster, conducted by the pastor, Rev. O. A. Blaylock. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Billy Dan Covey, Mrs. S. L. Doggett, Mrs. Russell Kendrick and Frank Taugen, who sang, "Going Down the Valley," "Abide With Me," and "Sweet Bye and Bye," accompanied by Mrs. C. F. Covey.

Palbearers were: Lloyd Chamberlain, Charles Arnold, Otto Badwin, Edward Bruns, John Reid and Arch Mathews.

Burial was in the Knob Noster cemetery.

Funeral Of Mrs. Paxson

Funeral services for Mrs. Letha B. Paxson were held in the chapel of Richards Funeral Home in Tipton at two o'clock on Thursday afternoon, January 3. They were conducted by the Rev. J. L. Freeman.

Mrs. Paxson was the daughter of the late Peter and Mary Wood Snorggrass, was born January 25, 1879 and passed away at her home north of Fortuna on January 1, after an illness of several months.

On December 20, 1903 she was married to Will H. Paxson who survives. To this union four sons were born: John, of Kansas City, Ellis of California, Floyd and Everett of the home, and who have recently returned from overseas where they served with the armed forces.

She is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Harry Lewis, one brother, Milo Snorggrass, and a number of other relatives. Burial was made in the L. O. O. F. cemetery.

Palbearers were E. A. George and Gordon Snorggrass, Virgil Carter, Charles Stephens and Glenn Fisher.

William M. Reed

William M. Reed, 85 years old, died at his home in Green Ridge at 11:30 p. m. Wednesday after being in ill health a number of years, the past two of which he was confined to his bed.

Mr. Reed was born March 12, 1860, near Green Ridge, later moving to Spring Fork community where he spent his youth. He was a member of Green Ridge Baptist church, having joined the Bethlehem Baptist church, south of Sedalia, at the age of 14 years.

December 5, 1883, he was married to Mary Elizabeth Keele, who died in September, 1922.

He was married to Miss Nellie Ireland September 7, 1924, who survives with the following relatives: one sister, Mrs. Jane Cramer, Florence; three brothers, M. E. Herman and Edward Reed, all of Sedalia; a niece, Mrs. Mae Garrison, Industry, Ill., who was reared in the Reed home; and a number of other nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Green Ridge Baptist church with Rev. J. W. Woolery, pastor of the Baptist church of La Monte, the Rev. C. J. Michaelowsky and the Rev. J. G. W. Kirschner.

Music, to be furnished by a

choir of the Baptist church with Mrs. E. J. Sims in charge, will include "Will Never Say Good-bye in Heaven," sung in accordance to a special request of the deceased.

Palbearers will be Ray Calvert, John Palmer, Carl Sims, Harold Ream, Arley Sanders and Melvin Ray.

Burial will be in Green Ridge cemetery.

Funeral of Fair Brothers

Double funeral services for Frank Fair and John H. (Dick) Fair, will be held at the East Sedalia Baptist church at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The Rev. Hallie Rice will officiate. McClellan Blaylock, Earl Blaylock, Miss Evelyn Blaylock and Miss Lenora Blaylock will sing "Going Down the Valley," "The Sweet Bye and Bye" and "The Old Rugged Cross" accompanied by C. W. Blaylock.

The following close friends of the family will serve as honorary palbearers: Herbert Maddox, Charles Momborg, Michael J. Clifford, Jim Swearingen, Walter Banning and Luther Landis.

Active palbearers for John H. (Dick) Fair will be Dwight Dickson, Hugh Winters, Lionel Clifford, McKinley Thomas, George Momborg and Wm. D. Williams.

Active palbearers for Frank Fair will be: Walter Rissler, Lloyd Waters, John Witcher, Vernon P. Glenn, Roy Denny and Earl Neff.

Members of the American Legion will have charge of services at the grave.

Interment will be in the Crown Hill cemetery in the Fair family lot at the side of their father and mother.

The bodies are at the Ewing funeral home and will be taken to the East Sedalia Baptist church at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Mrs. L. C. Paxton Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Croft Paxton, 71, wife of Lum Christopher Paxton, who died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lemens, 1611 East Fourth street, Tuesday night, will be held at 10:30 o'clock this morning at the Gillespie funeral home with Rev. Elin Kelley, pastor of the Gospel Tabernacle church, to officiate.

Miss Viola Reed and Miss Opal Kelley will sing, "Will the Circle Be Unbroken," "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," and "In the City Four Square." Miss Louise Crawley will be the accompanist.

Palbearers will be grandsons of the deceased: Otto Meyers, Charlie Brandenburg, Norman Paxton, Richard Stevens, Spencer Toliver and Vernon Brownfield.

Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery.

Funeral of Mrs. Haire

Funeral services for Mrs. Ellen Haire, widow of the late Newton Haire, will be held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Smithton Methodist church, the pastor the Rev. E. F. Dillon to officiate.

The body of Mrs. Haire, who passed away Tuesday evening at Pittsburgh, Pa., at the age of 95 years, arrived at Smithton Thursday evening being accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Webster Jones, who was formerly Miss Nettie Haire, of Smithton.

The body is at the Neumeier Funeral home to remain until time for the services.

Although the United States probably has the best air-transport system in the world, it covers only 360 cities and towns, serving about one-third of the population.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(P)—The war department expects to declare Camp Clark in Missouri surplus within the next few days, Rep. Bennett (R-Mo.) disclosed today.

Bennett told a reporter a department official informed him that the surplus order had been approved by the division handling such matters and is now on the desks of higher officials for their okay.

Under the proposal plan, the Missouri national guard which used Camp Clark before the war, will be quartered at Fort Leonard and Wood where it will have more room and better facilities, Bennett said. The army will continue to use Fort Leonard Wood, he added, but will allow the national guard to use part of it.

Some of the buildings at Camp Clark will be retained by the Missouri national guard as storage depots for equipment which could not be taken to Leonard Wood.

During the war, Camp Clark was an internment camp first for Italian and later for German prisoners of war.

Demonstrations Near Mutiny; Surplus Personnel to Homes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(P)—GI demonstrations overseas against the demobilization slowdown were called "near mutiny" today by Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D-Colo.), "distressing and humiliating to all Americans."

Johnson formally called upon the Senate Military committee to summon Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower "at the earliest possible moment" for a full investigation.

Johnson, a member of the committee, asked Congress to take a hand in the situation after the War Department disclosed it was undertaking to recast its entire demobilization program.

The increasing pressure from

Briggs Opens Campaign for U. S. Senator

Files Today; Points To Long Record Of Public Service

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 10.—(P)—United States Senator Frank P. Briggs, Macon newspaper publisher, filed today for the Democratic nomination to the job in which he succeeded Harry S. Truman a year ago.

Briggs was starting his fourth term in the Missouri senate when he was appointed Jan. 12, 1945 by Gov. Phil M. Donnelly to succeed Truman, then vice president, in the national senate.

In a statement issued simultaneously with his filing, Briggs pointed to his long record of public service and added:

"Due to the press of important business in the national congress, I will be necessary for me to spend a great portion of my time in Washington but I hope to give as much time to an active campaign as is humanly possible. I am endeavoring in every way to support our Missouri president in his stand for a successful peace, both abroad and at home, and my first duty, of course, will be to take care of the business at hand."

Asks United Support

Asking united Democratic support, Briggs pledged "in my campaign I shall permit no act of mine nor any word of mine to give solace to the opposition when the primary count has been finished."

Both President Truman and Governor Donnelly have endorsed Briggs' candidacy. At a Jackson day dinner in Springfield Monday night, the governor lauded him as "one of the ablest and most influential new members of the United States senate."

Briggs managed Donnelly's successful 1944 election campaign and before that set a record as president pro tem of the state senate for four straight sessions. He served two terms as mayor of Macon, where he publishes the Daily Chronicle-Herald, before entering the senate.

Others Mentioned

He is 52 years old and the father of two sons and three daughters.

The only other senatorial aspirant to file thus far is William McKinley Thomas of St. Louis who is seeking the Republican nomination.

Former Attorney General Roy McKittick, unsuccessful nominee two years ago and Marvin Casteel, former state WPA director, have been mentioned as other possible Democratic candidates.

Mayors Guests At Kiwanis Club Meeting

Club Sang Birthday Greetings to Two Members

Mayor H. C. Rethwisch, Fayette, executive secretary of the Missouri State Chamber of Commerce, and Mayor Arthur F. Bangert, of Florissant, were the speakers at the meeting of the Sedalia Kiwanis club in Bothwell hotel Thursday noon.

Mayor Rethwisch was a guest of vice-president Pinkney Miller, and Mayor Bangert a guest of Mayor A. H. Wilks. Both are here attending the eleventh annual convention of the Missouri Municipal League.

Others attending the convention and who were guests included: Dr. A. J. Campbell, Mayor Roger Sermon, John Thiel, John Short, J. R. Lynch and Tom Winters, all of Independence, and who were introduced by the Rev. H. U. Campbell, brother-in-law of Mayor Sermon. Also, Carl W. Brown, chief engineer of the Missouri State Highway Department, J. H. Acuff, secretary of the Highway Department, G. M. Thraill, public relations representative of the Highway Department, Mayor Bruce Carl, Columbia, secretary of the league, Mayor J. C. Griggs, Carthage, vice-president of the league and Councilman Leo Eickhoff, guests of Mayor Wilks.

Attorney Roy J. Schick was a guest of the Rev. Mr. Campbell and Arthur Schlumbohn, scout executive, Jefferson City, a guest of Judge J. V. Kesterson.

Clarence Evans presided as program chairman and the Rev. Mr. Campbell introduced the speakers.

The club members sang a birthday greeting song for John Ryan and Elmer E. Sterling who are celebrating their birthday; and to Paul Hedderich who recently became a grandfather.

Among those registered today were 20 mayors of Missouri cities and two city managers, the latter being Dean Van Ness, city manager of Moberly, and Fred Boone, of Neosho, Mo.

First of Two 'Anti-Petrillo' Bills Setback

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 10.—(P)—Slam attendance and a solid block of labor votes gave the first of two "anti-Petrillo" bills a setback in the Missouri house of representatives yesterday.

The bill, which would have prevented union interference with non-profit musical programs, was killed on a 61-27 vote with 75 votes required for passage.

Introduced by Sen. H. R. Williams (R) of Cassville, the bill was sponsored in the house by Rep. Curtis J. Tindel (R) of Texas county, who urged its passage as a curb on what he called the lawless activities of music czar James C. Petrillo.

When the measure failed, Tindel decided to withdraw action on a companion bill which would penalize union interference with non-profit radio programs. He said it would be called up later.

Hot Debate

The bill touched off an hour of hot debate, with Rep. Lucian T. Mace (R) of Miller county declaring Washington officials were "too scared the labor groups will defeat them" to regulate union activities.

"Why if we go down the street a-whistlin' we'll get kicked off within the next ten years," Mace said.

Opponents of the bill argued that musicians' right to work had to be protected in an age of mechanical sound reproduction.

"I dispute any assertions that the musicians' union interferes with any non-profit program," Rep. Arthur D. Smith (R) of Jasper county said.

Released From Service

Ricard E. Anshelm, Seafarers' Work is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of John Schaffer, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 14th day of December, 1945, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 14th day of December, 1945.

WM. GEORGE SCHLAFFER, Executor.

Attested by me this 14th day of December, 1945.

J. E. SMITH, Judge of Probate Court.

Stockholders' Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Sedalia Democrat Company will be held at the office of the company 108-110 West Fourth Street, Sedalia, Missouri, on Monday, January 14, 1946, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The meeting for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business that may be properly brought before said meeting.

GEORGE H. HADLEY, President, Sedalia Democrat Co.

No. 9352

Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Fred H. Schumacher, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 2nd day of January 1946, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 2nd day of January 1946.

ANNA M. SCHUMACHER, Administratrix.

Attested by me this 2nd day of January, 1946.

J. E. SMITH, Judge of Probate Court.

No. 9359

Executors' Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Roy John Hausam, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 28th day of December, 1945, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executors within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 28th day of December, 1945.

ROSE BRINK HAUSAM, HENRY C. SALVETER, Executors.

Attested by me this 28th day of December, 1945.

J. E. SMITH, Judge of Probate Court.

No. 9360

Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Thomas R. Yeager, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 28th day of December, 1945, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 28th day of December, 1945.

GILBERT A. YEAGER, Executor.

Attested by me this 28th day of December, 1945.

J. E. SMITH, Judge of Probate Court.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

Circuit Court for the County of Pettis State of Missouri

Mary Webb and June Webb, Plaintiffs, vs. Harry T. Beck, Defendant.

No. 22705

Order For Publication of Notice

On this 19th day of December, 1945, it appearing from the verified application of plaintiffs for an order allowing service by publication that defendant Harry T. Beck cannot be personally served within this state, the court ordered that the application of plaintiffs be granted and that service by publication upon said defendant be had as provided by law and that said defendant be and is hereby notified that an action has been commenced against said defendant in the circuit court for the County of Pettis, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to determine the title to the following described property:

Beginning at a point in the East line of an alley running north and south, between Harrison and Grand Avenue, One Hundred and Thirty-five (135) feet south of the South line of Wilkerson Street, thence running east parallel with Third Street to a point in the West line of Harrison Avenue; thence in a Southerly direction along the west line of Harrison Avenue fifty-five (55) feet, more or less, to the northeast corner of a piece of ground conveyed by Martha E. Smith and Sarah E. Cotton by deed of record book XIX, at page 426, Pettis County Record, which point is following west line of Harrison Avenue two hundred twenty-one and ten-twelfths (221 10/12) feet in a northerly direction from the north line of Third Street; thence west parallel with Third Street along the Willis north line to the east line of said alley; thence north along the east line of said alley fifty (50) feet to the place of beginning.

Being a part of the west half of lot number two (2) of the northeast quarter of section four (4) Township forty-five (45) Range twenty-one (21) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pettis County, Missouri.

And that said defendant be and is hereby notified that the name and address of the attorney for plaintiff is W. W. Blain and Frank W. Hayes, Igenfritz Building, Sedalia, Missouri; and that said defendant is required to appear and defend this action within 45 days after the 21st day of December, 1945, and in case of failure to do so judgment by default will be rendered against said defendant.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Sedalia Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Pettis, State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

The attorney for plaintiff is W. W. Blain and Frank W. Hayes, Igenfritz Building, Sedalia, Missouri; and that said defendant is required to appear and defend this action within 45 days after the 21st day of December, 1945, and in case of failure to do so judgment by default will be rendered against said defendant.

Attested by me this 19th day of December, 1945.

BRYAN HOWE, Clerk.

By: MILDRED SUTHERLIN, Deputy Clerk.

Our 65th Year of Service in Sedalia.

McLaughlin Brothers Funeral Chapel

519 South Ohio St.

Phone 8